

ROCK SLIDE AT POLSON DAM KILLS SEVEN

Relief Drive in Vernon Near End

APPEAL MADE FOR CITIZENS TO COOPERATE

Liber Contributions To Meet Wilbarger County Needs Emphasized as Vernon Community Service Corporation Plans Meeting Friday.

Committees of the Vernon Community Service Corporation are making final appeals in a campaign to raise \$5,000 in Vernon for relief needs in Wilbarger County. President Fay E. Eggleston and J. L. Showers, campaign chairman, have requested soliciting teams to submit final reports by 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon and have appealed to citizens here to offer all cooperation possible in making the drive a success.

"If we are to reach our goal in this very important drive," said Mr. Eggleston, "it will be necessary for us to receive many liberal contributions in the next 24 hours. We have a serious problem before us in handling emergency relief cases in our community and I sincerely trust that citizens who are able to help in this cause will not fail to respond."

A meeting of contributors will be held Friday morning at 10 o'clock in the County Court room for the purpose of electing officers and directors of the Community Service organization. The new officers will formulate plans for administering the funds. Membership of the organization consists of contributors.

A team composed of Fay E. Eggleston and H. R. Kuhn has already completed its assignment in the industrial district and soliciting funds at lumber yards. In addition to the 12 teams originally assigned to districts in the city, a few extra committees were given assignments Tuesday afternoon. They include: Bob Hoffman and Tom Bell, West Wilbarger Street; W. D. Curtis and H. B. Alexander, East Wilbarger Street; Chester W. Showers and Monte E. Garrison, South Main; and J. L. Showers and R. H. Nichols, special.

DEATH TAKES MRS. PARRACK

FUNERAL ARRANGED TODAY AT CHILLICOTHE FOR PASTOR'S WIFE

Chillicothe, March 3.—Funeral services for Mrs. Ira L. Parrack, 44, were conducted this afternoon at 2 o'clock in the First Baptist Church of Chillicothe by Rev. J. Perry King, Baptist pastor at Chillicothe. Interment was in the Chillicothe Cemetery. Mrs. Parrack, a resident of Chillicothe the past seven years and wife of the Baptist pastor here, died Tuesday morning following illness of three months.

Surviving are the husband; two daughters, Mrs. Harry Anderson of Granite, Okla., and Miss Anna Parrack of Chillicothe; a son, Alvin Parrack of Chillicothe; the mother, Mrs. M. E. Caswell of Round Rock, Texas; two brothers, Fritz Caswell of Houston and John Caswell of Austin; a sister, Mrs. W. R. Jenkins of Austin, and one grandchild.

Mrs. Parrack was born May 19, 1892, at Fiskville, Texas. Her maiden name was Ida Caswell. She was married to Rev. Ira L. Parrack Feb. 24, 1907, at Round Rock.

Before coming to Chillicothe they resided in San Antonio, Santa Anna and Merkel. Rev. Parrack was pastor at Merkel 19 years, five years at Santa Anna and five years in the San Antonio section.

Pall bearers will be Claude Smith, J. E. Calvert, Grady Roberts, D. T. Wilson, Ben Wofford and Dewey Marsh.

FATHER WHO BROKE GIRL'S LEG GIVEN JAIL TERM

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Heiress Gets Divorce

Reno, Nev., March 3. (AP)—Mrs. Margaret Wilson Baldwin, former Indianapolis, Ind., heiress, was granted an annulment of her marriage to Baldwin M. Baldwin, wealthy and socially prominent grandson of the late California pioneer, E. J. (Lucky) Balin, in District Court here Tuesday.

Quins' Guardian



Affairs of the five most important babies in the world, the Dionne quins, hereafter will be under the supervision of Ontario's official guardian, Percy D. Wilson, above, former Canadian football star, who has just been appointed special guardian for the quintuplets. Wilson succeeds the Hon. David Croft, who said the quins' business dealings had become too heavy for him to handle with his duties as a cabinet minister. Wilson will serve with Judge J. A. Vallin, Olivia Dionne, the quins' father, and Dr. Allan R. Dafee, who comprise the guardianship board.

ROAD PROJECT IS APPROVED

WPA WORK IN PRECINCT 4 SCHEDULED TO BEGIN THIS WEEK

Work is scheduled to begin Thursday on a \$37,833 WPA project in Precinct 4 of Wilbarger County. The project is for improvement of star mail and school bus routes and is to employ 192 men. The county is to furnish \$11,737 and the Federal Government, \$26,138, according to announcement of approval of the project by State officials of the Works Progress Administration.

The work is to include construction of the line and rip-rapping slopes at necessary points, Rex Boyd, Precinct 4 Commissioner, will assist in supervising the work, most of which will take place southwest of Oklahoma.

DICTRICT QUOTA OF WPA WORKERS IS INCREASED

The quota of WPA workers in the Wichita Falls district for March has been increased from 4,000 to 4,500. The increase is based on information received by C. L. Martin, district works program director.

Simultaneously with the notice of the increase in workers, the district director was informed by State headquarters that the rule for reduction of the program's fund for materials on projects was effective immediately.

The new rule limits Federal money spent on projects to labor and \$5 a man month for materials. Hitherto, the allotment for materials has been approximately \$8 per man month.

Mr. Martin said that work of apportioning the increased number of workers to various counties would start immediately. Wilbarger, Hardeman, Pomeroy, and Cottle counties, hard hit by the drought of last summer, are expected to receive a major portion of the workers.

RE-ENACTMENT OF ARGENTINE 'IMPULSE' SLAYING PLANNED

Mar Del Plata, Argentina, March 3. (AP)—Authorities here planned to seek re-enactment of the "impulse" slaying of two-year-old Eugenio Pereyra Inzola, son of a wealthy Argentine family.

Judge Horacio Areco, who said Jose Gancedo Gonzalez confessed kidnapping and strangling the boy to a detective disguised as a fellow prisoner, expressed belief the prisoner was mentally deficient.

The judge said Gonzalez, 41-year-old hobo, would be taken to the scene.

Father Who Broke Girl's Leg Given Jail Term

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STEEL LABOR PACT GREETED BY WORKERS

Settlement of Discussions in Huge Industry Overshadows Scattered Difficulties Over Country—C. I. O. Chiefs Hail Victory.

(By The Associated Press.)

The vast steel industry's momentous move toward better relations with organized labor overshadowed the discord wrought by strikers in scattered sections of the nation today.

One after another, the big steel corporations announced wage boosts, shorter hours and other concessions, probably forestalling labor disputes in the entire industry.

Victory Hailed

A contract between the Carnegie-Illinois Steel Corp. and the Steel Workers Organizing Committee, an offshoot of the Lewis Committee for Industrial Organization, signed last night at Pittsburgh, was hailed by union officials as labor's greatest victory.

The contract, considered a guarantee of peace in the industry, established a 40-hour week and a \$5-a-day minimum wage and recognized the organizing committee as the bargaining agent for 129,000 employees who are members of the amalgamated association of iron, steel and tin workers.

Other companies which have announced wage and working adjustments and the number of men involved were:

Bethlehem, \$5,000; Republic 52,000; Youngstown Sheet & Tube, 16,000; Inland 9,000; Pittsburgh Steel 7,000; Sharon Steel 3,500; Otis Steel 3,000; Wheeling Steel 16,000; American Steel & Wire 6,000; Columbia Steel 5,500; National Steel 20,000; National Tube 8,000; Continental Steel; Jones and Laughlin Steel 25,000.

Organized labor leaders figured the pay boosts will total \$100,000 a year. Settlement of two strikes involving an estimated 2,500 men further brightened the industrial picture. Some 2,000 sit-down strikers evacuated the Detroit plant of the Motor Products Corp. A five-cent an hour pay increase ended a sit-down strike of 500 at the Tex-Tilether Corp. at Toledo, Ohio.

Numerous other strikes remained unsettled, however. Waitresses, cooks and kitchen hands at a large Detroit restaurant ended their sit-down strike pending negotiations. Sit-down demonstrations continued at two other restaurants, two five-and-ten-cent stores, and nearly a score of other Detroit business and manufacturing concerns.

An estimated 4,000 workers were on strike in New England. They were truck drivers and shoe, textile, rubber and shipyard workers.

Police Called

Police protection was given 5,000 employees while at work in the Douglas Aircraft Plant at Santa Monica, Calif., where a strike was in progress.

Seventy-five union iron workers struck at Cleveland, halting construction of a \$15,000,000 strip mill at the Republic Steel Corp.

Sightless sit-down strikers remained entrenched in a factory of the Pennsylvania Association of the Blind. The 107 blind men took turn in maintaining a "watch" at the factory door when they weren't playing games with braile cards. They struck for higher wages.

NINE CONVICTED IN BLACK LEGION PLAN

Detroit, March 3. (AP)—Recorder's Judge John V. Brennan Tuesday convicted nine of 16 men, members of the Black Legion members, on charges of conspiring to kill Arthur L. Kingsley, newspaper publisher of suburban Highland Park.

Convicted were N. Ray Markland, former Mayor of Highland Park; Arthur F. Lupp, Sr., named by investigators as commander of the secret society in Michigan; Alvin Clark, Willard Foster, Matthias Gunn, Roy Hepper, Frank Howard, Hubert James and Rudyard K. Wellman.

The prosecution charged the men plotted to shoot Kingsley in 1933 because of his political opposition to Markland, who then was Mayor.

Judge Brennan acquitted seven men.

Judge Brennan announced the nine convicted men would be sentenced by him next Tuesday.

The prosecution's principal witness in the trial was Dayton Dean, confessed Black Legion "executioner."

COUNTY BOARD TO NAME NEW TRUSTEE AT HINDS

A successor to F. C. Batterton on the board of trustees of the Hinds school district will be named Saturday afternoon in a special meeting of the Wilbarger County Board of Education. The meeting was called by E. B. Gillis, chairman of the County Board, and will begin at 2:30 o'clock in the office of the County Superintendent.

Mr. Batterton resigned from the Hinds board before moving to Wichita County recently.

The County Board's next regularly quarterly meeting will be held May 3.

COUNTY SOIL COMMITTEES STUDY 1937 PROGRAM

Details of the 1937 soil conservation work sheets were discussed this afternoon in a joint meeting of county and community conservation committees of Wilbarger County at the office of the County Farm Agent. Plans for holding elections to choose 1937 committees were also discussed.

In the Government's soil conservation set-up, Wilbarger County is divided into four communities, with each County Commissioner's precinct representing a conservation community. Three committees and an alternate are to be elected in each community. The county committee of three members will be selected from the four community committee chairmen. In the advancement of a community committee to the county board, his position in the community committee will be taken by an alternate.

TEXAS U. EXES OBSERVE DAY

T. EDGAR JOHNSON ELECTED PRESIDENT; CHILLICOTHE TO BE HOST IN 1938

T. Edgar Johnson was elected president of the Tri-County Association of Ex-Students of the University of Texas at their annual banquet Tuesday evening at the Hill Crest Country Club. Curtis Piper was named vice president of the Association and Wallace Bragg of Chillicothe, secretary.

Approximately 70 former students of the University, several of them from Chillicothe and Quanah, were present for the traditional affair, which will be held at Chillicothe on March 2, 1938.

John Storey, toastmaster for the occasion, introduced several speakers who gave impromptu talks concerning the University. M. C. Culbertson discussed the present situation of Texas athletics, and predicted an optimistic future for the longhorns under Dana X. Bible.

R. B. Anderson, who recently moved to Vernon to act as attorney for the W. T. Waggoner Estate, made his first public address in the city on expansion of the University. He pointed out that although the University of Texas is one of the richest in the country its new buildings are crowded with students, the personnel of the faculty is inadequate for the student body and its needs are underpaid. Other informal talks were given, including one of a humorous nature, by R. R. Donaghy.

Members of the American Legion Auxiliary served dinner. The tables were decorated in the school colors, orange and white, and the menu repeated the same color selection. At conclusion of the program the group sang school songs, and later were entertained with dancing. Music was furnished by a local orchestra.

Position of Treasury

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IL DUCE'S ANSWER TO ARMS PLANS OF BRITAIN FAR FROM REASSURING TO PEACE PLANS

New York, March 3. (A-P)—Mussolini's first of the masters of men to give Britain a conciliatory answer to her colossal armaments program—advertising designed to insure peace—and the reply is far from reassuring, for Il Duce has squared his famous jaw and slammed down his gauntlet.

Italy has decided to compete against England.

Specifically, the Fascists have decreed what amounts to lifetime military service, for all citizens between the ages of 18 and 35, and have inaugurated a five point plan to increase war forces and armaments.

What is perhaps even more impressive, Italy has started a fresh drive to raise the birthrate. They need more boys to rear as soldiers.

How far Mussolini will be able to compete against England's \$7,500,000,000 program is problematical, but economic experts say he cannot go all the way, or anything like it. He would bankrupt Italy.

This was what England had in mind in providing for a program with which nobody could compete except the United States, and Britain doesn't regard America as a competitor, but as a friend, in matters of arms. Britain hoped that her gesture would be staggering enough to dampen the warlike spirit of other nations.

Thus far the only thing Hitler has said is that Germany wants peace and wants it badly.

British statesmen have charged that Germany and Italy are mainly responsible for the necessity of rearmaments.

France and Russia both have been rearming on a big scale for a long time, and have pretensions of arms.

One of the most ambitious of the major powers is Japan. Her armaments program is so big it has plunged the country into economic difficulties and precipitated a political crisis.

Nippon's main worries are caused by Russia and the United States, and need more boys to rear as soldiers. She is building against both.

VERNON J. C. C. HONORS WILSON

NEW SHOP WILL OPEN IN CITY

MISS BILLY YOUNG OWNER OF NEW BUSINESS AT 1726 FANNIN STREET

Formal opening of the "Thrifty Shop," Vernon's newest business enterprise, will take place Saturday, according to Miss Billy Young, owner and manager who has moved here from Fort Worth. Women's apparel, costume jewelry and other specialties at popular prices will be featured. The shop is located in the Wilbarger Hotel building at 1726 Fannin Street.

Extensive work in remodeling and painting the interior of the store has taken place this week. Fixtures and colors feature modernistic designs.

Miss Young has managed ladies shops in Jackson and Vicksburg, Miss., Fort Worth and Waco, and has been employed in stores at other points. Her mother, Mrs. Nettie Young of Fort Worth, will assist in the operation of the new shop.

CCC SPONSORS SEEK FUND TO CARRY ON WORK

Washington, March 3. (AP)—Representative Johnson, Democrat, Oklahoma, spokesman for a group of House Democrats wanting to increase the civilian conservation corps permanently to 400,000 predicted today that "Congress will find the money."

The extra \$100,000,000 required, he declared, would be taken from other appropriations asked in the budget.

"We have decided," he added, "that money for this purpose must be obtained in several ways—for example, by cutting off \$52,000,000 for battleship construction we could keep 52,000 boys in the camps for a year."

Houston Chronicle Wins

Austin, March 3. (AP)—The Supreme Court ruled for the Houston Chronicle today in a libel suit brought against it by Lawrence Westbrook, a former member of the Legislature and now assistant to Federal Relief Administrator Harry Hopkins.

The court held an editorial published in the Chronicle was privileged as a reasonable and fair comment on the acts of a public official. The ruling was in answer to a certified question from the Waco court of civil appeals.

Chain Gang Hours Changed

Macomb, Ga., March 3. (AP)—A 4-hour work week was established today for the Bibb County chain gang. Convicts who formerly worked on highways from sunup to sundown six days a week went on a time clock basis.

Spanish Ration Bread

Madrid, March 3. (AP)—The Madrid Governor has issued a decree putting the city on a daily bread ration of 300 grams (about ten ounces) for each individual. A similar order was issued at Barcelona, where the ration was put at 250 grams (around 8 ounces).

Question About

CARDUI

PERIODICAL PAINS

"Why do so many women take Cardui for functional pains of menstruation?"

Each dose of Cardui contains a purely vegetable sedative and antispasmodic—that is, a pain-relieving and cramp-relieving medicine that is especially effective at monthly periods.

This fact about Cardui (that it helps to relieve many of the ordinary functional pains of menstruation with a beneficial plant extract, not habit-forming, not objectionable to take) is greatly appreciated by thousands of women. They recommend it to others.

Cardui is purely vegetable, liquid in form, and comes in 9-ounce bottles, with full directions for use. Try it, of course, if it does not benefit YOU, consult a physician.

DOLLAR DAY SPECIALS

One Rack Silk Dresses Special 1.98	14 Crepe and Wool DRESSES \$16.95 to \$24.50 Values Special 4.98
Another Rack of New Spring Dresses \$6.98 and \$7.98 values. Special 3.98	Beautiful Selection New Spring Bags In All High Shades 1.00
Hose Special Values from 69c to \$1.00 Special, 49c	75 Pairs Ladies' SLIPPERS In Pumps and Oxfords In Black and Brown Special 1.00

Goldfeder's

"EXCLUSIVE BUT NOT EXPENSIVE"

WHITE'S READY FOR OPENING

The formal opening of White's Auto Stores in Vernon tonight is expected to draw a large crowd, including many visitors from all parts of the Vernon trade territory.

Elaborate plans have been completed for the event and all visitors will receive gifts. A supply of flowers for ladies, cigars for men, and candy for children has been secured for the occasion. The candy will be given only to children accompanied by their parents.

An orchestra from Wichita Falls will furnish music throughout the evening.

Manager Maynard C. Hughes extends an invitation for the people of this section to inspect the store, located in the remodeled Pierce building at the corner of Main and Texas streets.

HERE, THERE AND YONDER

Visits Parents.

Perry Howard, formerly of Wichita Falls, is visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. P. Howard. Perry Howard has just resigned from the staff of the Industrial Supply Co. in Wichita Falls and has secured an interest in the Cen-Tex Supply Co. He will go to McCombs Thursday to assume duties as manager of the company stores in that city and at Monahans. The company also operates stores at Breckenridge and Big Spring.

In New Position.

Miss Lola Batcher, assumed duties this morning in the office of the Robert L. More Garage & Tire Company.

Warmer.

Temperature in Vernon climbed to 65 degrees Tuesday. The minimum was 35. From 12 o'clock last night until early this afternoon, the mercury held around 55 degrees.

LOCAL BRIEFS

S. H. Sinclair left Wednesday morning for Dumas, where he has accepted a position with the Soil Conservation service. His wife plans to join him there next month.

Mr. R. M. Fielder of San Angelo, former Vernon resident, is reported to be improving following a serious illness at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Koenig of Wichita Falls spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Koenig, and family. They were accompanied by Mrs. Koenig's sister, Miss Maurine Bevers of Munday. They also visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wiedersheim.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Schoppa and son are spending a few weeks with relatives in Houston, Giddings, Bryan, and other South Texas cities.

Mrs. Grace Tennyson and children, Rosemary and Betty June, have returned from Tyler, where they made their home during the past two months.

Miss Dorothy Freeman returned Tuesday from Dallas, where she has been receiving surgical and medical treatment for several weeks. Her condition is regarded as much improved.

Mrs. R. W. Hall and son, Neal Hall, of Amarillo, former Vernon residents, are here on business and visiting with friends. They will probably return to Amarillo Thursday.

HOSPITAL BRIEFS

Miss Geneva Jackson was admitted to a Vernon hospital Wednesday morning for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Isham of Rock Crossing announced Wednesday morning the birth of a daughter.

Mrs. G. C. Eckelberry was admitted Wednesday morning for an appendectomy.

Henry Nabers was admitted Wednesday morning for medical treatment.

SOCIAL AND CLUB NEWS

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Texas Folklore, Poetry Furnish Topic For Club

Texas literature and folklore furnished an interesting program for the Junior Delphian Club which met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. E. Mason, 2030 Nouston Street.

Mrs. Ben Leutwyler, program leader, told of a legend concerning the San Sabal or Bowie mine, which has been written by F. Frank Dobie. Miss Alice Stokes gave other legends of Texas which have been collected by Mr. Dobie, including several from Negro and Mexican folklore. In concluding she sketched the life of Mr. Dobie, who has done outstanding work in compiling material of this nature.

Readings from Texas poets were given by Mrs. B. T. Juvenal. She read "Life," a recent publication of Mrs. Adelaide Hart Brown of Mission, former Vernon resident; "On With the Munitions" by Ruth Bransford Wilson, (Mrs. George Wilson), of Wichita Falls, also a former-Vernon resident; and "The Old Home Town" by Grace C. Rogers, (Mrs. A. C. Rogers), of Vernon.

Others she read were "Spring in the East" by Mary Fitzgerald, "Cerule" by Margaret Bell Houston; "The Woman in the Field" by Nell Burget Miller, and "Silver Poplars" and "Candles" by Grace Nell Crowell. She concluded by reading "Query" by Isabel Harris Barr.

Mrs. Keith Berry conducted the better English drill for the afternoon, giving pronunciation of several French words and their meaning. The program was ended with impromptu talks by two guests, Mrs. R. T. Evans and Miss Lillian Newton, Wilbarger County Librarian.

The hostess decorated her home with yellow jonquils in a silver bowl and with potted greenery. Texas Independence Day was marked by silk miniature Texas flags as plate favors. Refreshments of salad, cake, and coffee were served to four guests, Miss Lillian Newton and Mesdames W. C. Smith, Harry Mason, and R. T. Evans, and the following members: Misses Dorothy Cook and Alice Stokes, and Mesdames M. K. Berry, Hugh Burdland, Alan Johnson, Bethel Juvenal, E. C. LeBlanc, Leutwyler, Hubert Sewell, Harold Shive, U. J. Smith, Robert C. Stokes, V. E. Tins, Robt S. Wright, Harry Bunnberg, and the hostess, Mrs. Mason.

BRIDGE PARTY AND SHOWER GIVEN FOR MISS BERNICE LEE

Complimenting Miss Bernice Lee, whose marriage to W. A. Moody of Throckmorton will take place Sunday, Miss Theta Wheeler entertained with a bridge party and shower Tuesday evening at her home 3220 Maiden Street. She was assisted in entertaining by her mother, Mrs. T. B. Wheeler.

High score for the evening was awarded to Mrs. D. D. Jackson, and low to Miss Della Hoffman. The prizes were pieces of a kitchen set in red and white, colors chosen by the honoree for her kitchen. Both trophies were presented to Miss Lee as well as more than 20 other gifts from persons not in attendance.

A green and white motif reflective of St. Patrick's Day was employed by the hostess. The prizes were wrapped in green and white and the floral decorations consisted of white honey suckle, ferns, and other greenery. Shamrocks were used as plate favors.

The refreshment plate consisted of chicken salad sandwiches, eufers, hot potato chips, and olives. Guests included Mesdames Charles McKinney, D. D. Jackson, C. C. Morgan, J. T. Pettigrew, W. B. Townsend, Lee Goodgame, Harris Belev, Misses Florence Smalley, Nellie McCarthy, Pat Rapp, Ruby Byers, Ola Jones, Della Hoffman, Jean Townsend, the honoree, Miss Lee, and the two hostesses.

Doris Clark Honored at Birthday Party Monday

Mrs. G. L. Clark of the Hinds community entertained with a surprise birthday party Monday honoring her daughter, Doris, on her eighth birthday. Many games were enjoyed in the school gymnasium.

Refreshments of punch, cake, and ambrosia in orange shells were served from an attractively decorated table. The St. Patrick's Day colors were carried out in decoration of the table and of the cake. Plate favors were tiny candles stuck in shamrock-shaped gumdrops.

Attending the party were Owen and Harold Lloyd Shultz, Sam and Clifford McCulley, Gwendolyn and Oscar Joe Walker, Kenneth Blount, Verna Shultz, Opal Mae, Jewel Marie Rawlings, June Clark, Ruth McCrummin, Ruth Niemeyer, Mary Frances Muller, Clarence and Edna Hildebrand, Horace Lykes, Bruce and James Clark, Misses Dora Muller, Hazel Key, and Ann Clark, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Clark, and the honoree, Doris Clark.

Fargo Methodist Church Is Filled For Recital

The auditorium of the Fargo Methodist Church was filled Sunday afternoon to hear the piano pupils of Mrs. D. L. Lovelace present a program of solos and ensembles.

Pupils presented were Virginia Dunson, Alice Thomas, Patty Jean Bowlin, James Goble, Dean Raines, Joy Frances Brooks, Lloyd Ray Ketcherid, Wanda Joan Mason, Mildred Shaw, Mary McCabe, Tom Cobe, Mary Jo Fisher, Ann Mason, and Carmelita Raines.

Other pupils of Mrs. Lovelace who were unable to be present were Elsie Hunt, Elsie Mae Goins, and Emma Mae Crisp. A number of other children played in the rhythm orchestra and sang in the choruses.

PARTY, SHOWER GIVEN IN HONOR OF MRS. SPEARS

Mrs. Collins Spears, who before her recent marriage was Miss Marie Schmoker, was named honoree of a delightful party and miscellaneous shower recently at the home of Mrs. A. Streil. Hostesses were Mesdames Luther Streil, A. C. Streil, and F. A. Streil.

Entertainment for the afternoon included a vocal solo, "Nobody's Darling But Mine," by little Lillian Streil, a piano accordion number by Miss Emma Streil, and a vocal duet, "Believe Me If All These Endearing Young Charms," by Miss Lydia Schmoker and Mrs. C. A. Schmoker.

Mrs. Walter E. Hoffman and Miss Lydia Schmoker were awarded first and second prize in an art contest which concluded the entertainment.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Robert Streil, P. C. Spears, C. S. Schmoker, W. E. Forster, C. A. Schmoker, E. Schmoker, Bob Kern, Karl Guggisberg, Henry C. Streil, H. Geisler, Lee Robinson, J. H. Riddle, P. F. Robertson, W. E. Hoffman, Geoffrey Streil, Misses Marguerite Streil, Lydia Schmoker, Helen Tiroff, Alyce Rummel, Emma Streil, the honoree, Mrs. Collins, and the three hostesses.

Those sending gifts were Mrs. Fritz Staup of Peralta, N. M., Mrs. Walter Hoffman, Mrs. W. M. Judd, Miss Ruby Calender, Mrs. R. W. Spears, Mrs. J. W. Greathouse, Mrs. George Streil, and Mrs. W. B. Howell.

Birthday Party Given For Bobby Ray Welch

Bobby Ray Welch, son of Mrs. Opal Welch, celebrated his second birthday at a party Sunday afternoon at his home, 2319 Gordon Street. Mrs. Welch was assisted in serving by her mother, Mrs. L. F. Blake, and Mrs. Pauline Smith.

Colored balloons attached to the light fixtures were given as favors, and the refreshments consisted of the birthday cake, ice cream, and suckers. The ice cream was in pink and white, and the white cake was decorated with pink candles and pink and white icing. Pictures were made of the group during the afternoon.

Present for the party were Norma Jean McPherson, Darlene Klepper, Halina, Bobby Wright, Ora Reese Wright, Anita Frances McDougal, Thelma Mae Faulkner, Velma Rea Faulkner, Billy Walker, Joyce Smith, Ronnie Hamm, L. H. Wall, Jr., Mesdames C. C. Hamm, Earl Halina, Robt S. Wright, Bill McPherson, and Charlotte McDougal.

COUNCIL'S VOTING MEMBERS URGED TO ATTEND MEETING

Mrs. R. M. Hampton, chairman of the City Council of Parent-Teacher Associations requested Wednesday that all voting members of the council be present at its regular meeting Thursday morning at 9:30 o'clock in the office of Mrs. Ruby Riperton, County Health Nurse. Business affecting next year's work will be transacted, she said, in urging a good attendance at the meeting.

ROCK CROSSING P-T. A. TO HEAR W. T. LOFLAND

W. T. Lofland, superintendent of the Vernon Public Schools, will be speaker at a meeting of the Rock Crossing Parent-Teacher Association Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the school auditorium.

Class Meeting Postponed.

A meeting of the Wesley Workers Class of the First Methodist Church which was scheduled to be held Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Ed Richards has been indefinitely postponed, according to an announcement made Wednesday.

Health Club Meets.

Members of the Rock Crossing Health Club will meet in the community hall Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, according to an announcement made Wednesday.

JUNIOR ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE IS DISCUSSED

St. Petersburg, Fla., March 3. (AP)—Dr. John Randolph Hobbs of Birmingham, Ala., newly elected president of the Anti-Saloon League of America, today proposed a junior anti-saloon league to enlist the support of young people in a campaign for return of prohibition.

Juvenile Convicted in Death.

Uvalde, March 3. (AP)—Leroy Pettit was found guilty of slaying his father, E. H. Pettit, here last May, and assessed a four-year term in a juvenile training school by a District Court jury today. He was tried as a juvenile delinquent.

Record classified ads get results

Mrs. Simpson Orders Parisian Creations

Paris, March 3. (AP)—Wallis Warfield Simpson has ordered five new creations from the establishment of British Captain Edward Molyneux, Parisian dressmaker, it has been disclosed.

Her order, placed through the Cannes branch of the Molyneux salon, includes an evening fur coat, an evening ensemble, a wool coat for afternoon wear, and afternoon dress and a sports outfit.

Ten silver fox skins will be used for the coat, primarily an evening model of fingertip length with long sleeves. Cut on straight lines, the coat may also be worn for formal afternoon functions by the future wife of the former British King.

Baptist Class Program Is Of Serious Nature

A program of a serious nature was given at a meeting of the T. E. L. Class of the First Baptist Church Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. S. C. Hogsett, 1327 Wilbarger Street. Mrs. H. D. Hockersmith, chairman in charge, in explaining the nature of the program called attention to the approaching revival in the church.

Mrs. J. D. Graham brought the devotional from John 11, reading a paper entitled "A Woman's Emancipation." This was followed with prayer by Mrs. H. G. Cox. A talk on "Love and Reverence for the Church" was then given by Mrs. J. O. Rouse. She emphasized the scripture, "I was glad when they said unto me, let us go into the house of the Lord."

During the business session at which Mrs. J. G. Graham presided, reports were given by Mesdames Harry Fletcher, H. D. Hockersmith, Roscoe Rainwater, Vera Mason and P. D. Downs. Mrs. Fletcher stated that 265 visits had been made in the interest of the class during February. New group captains appointed at the meeting were Mesdames Clarence McCaleb, C. O. Richards, J. W. Barnard, F. H. Littleton, W. P. Seale, and C. J. Lawson.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake carrying out the St. Patrick's Day motif were served. The service table was decorated with a bowl of Spring flowers, and ferns were used in the other rooms.

Those present included eight guests and honorary members, Mesdames S. W. Bailey, W. R. Lane, Sarah Burnham of Lincoln, Neb., J. V. Owen, H. G. Cox, H. H. Hargrove, J. O. Rouse, W. W. Anderson, and the following members: Mesdames H. H. Jones, Homer Wright, Charles Taylor, W. A. Lane, Tom Bacon, E. H. Waggoner, Elma Powell, R. B. Thornton, Ed Miller, F. H. Littleton, W. P. Seale, Fred Reed, J. W. Barnard, C. J. Lawson, Clarence McCaleb, E. D. Vaughn, P. D. Downs, Vera Mason, Roscoe Rainwater, Harry Fletcher, H. D. Hockersmith, J. D. Graham, and the hostess, Mrs. Hogsett.

Junior High P-T. A. To See Morality Play

A morality play, "Follow the Light," will be given by students of Vernon Junior High School at a meeting Thursday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock at the school building. Miss Anna Belle Robertson will be in charge of the presentation.

A sing-song is scheduled for the program, and Dr. H. H. Hargrove, pastor of the First Baptist Church, will conduct the devotional on the theme of Temperance.

For the parent education discussion group the chairman, Mrs. B. F. Owens will be in charge. Mrs. M. G. Potet will talk to the group on "Future Home Makers." This meeting is held in Room 206 of the building at 3 o'clock.

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Social Calendar

Thursday.

Members of the City Council of Parent-Teacher Associations will meet in the office of Mrs. Ruby Riperton, County Health Nurse, Thursday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

The March program of the Garden Club will be given at the Yamparika Club House Thursday afternoon at 2:30. Plants will be exchanged and the contest for the month will be for arrangements of plate favors and miniatures under six inches.

The regular monthly luncheon and business meeting of the Althean Class will be held Thursday at 1 p. m. in the banquet room of the First Baptist Church. Each member will bring a picnic lunch.

A meeting of the Junior High School Parent-Teacher Association will be held Thursday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock in Room 203 at the school. The parent education study class of the Association will meet Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock in room 206 of the school, with Mrs. R. F. Owens in charge of the program.

Friday.

Mrs. Cal C. Wright, 2331 Wilbarger Street, will entertain the Susannah Wesley Class at their regular monthly business meeting and social Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mrs. J. W. Frazier will be in charge of the program and each member will bring a guest.

Margaret Jane Youngblood will be hostess to the A Tempo Club Friday evening at her home, 1902 Tolar Street, Friday evening at 7 o'clock.

Saturday.

Delta Kappa Gamma, professional society for women teachers, will have a luncheon at noon Saturday in the banquet room of the Faith Cafe. Mrs. Knox Kinard and Miss Bayne Patterson of Oklahoma will act as hostesses.

Members of the Crescendo Club will meet Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. N. Wright, 3021 Yamparika Street. Janette Wright and Joyce Shive are hostesses for the meeting.

At Chillicothe Funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford McDougal, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Howard and Miss Bess Vernon, all of Vernon, attended funeral services for Mrs. Ira L. Parrack at Chillicothe Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. McDougal and Mrs. Howard planned to assist in the musical arrangements.

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Agent Tells Club Women to Clothe Children Simply

Simplicity and comfort should be the primary considerations in selecting children's wardrobes. Miss Doris Leggett told members of the Southwest Home Demonstration Club Monday afternoon as they met in the home of Mrs. Andy Thompson.

Emphasizing her statement with concrete examples, Miss Leggett displayed a number of home-made garments for children with buttons large enough that children three years of age might dress themselves. Long sleeves and long legs on children's garments are not desirable, the Agent added, because they hinder complete freedom of the body.

Members greatly enjoyed roll call for the afternoon, which was answered with bright sayings of children. Other numbers on the program were a song, "School Days," by the entire group and led by Mrs. Andy Thompson; a sermonette, "Our Little Cares," by Dr. John L. Holland, which was read by Mrs. J. J. Ross; and a reading, "Aunt Cynthia Laysed at the City," by Miss Anna Lucy Bray.

During the business session the club voted to sponsor a play to raise funds for the club Christmas project. Mrs. J. L. McLarty, Mrs. Claude Bildstein, and Mrs. James Ross were appointed members of a

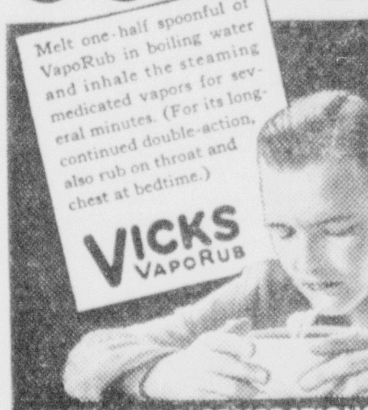
committee to select a play and set the date for its presentation.

Mrs. Claude Bildstein directed the recreational period, and refreshments were served to Mesdames J. L. McLarty, Claude Bildstein, C. H. Price, J. T. Carpenter, Bill Hlavity, Clyde Bray, A. J. Barker, Richard Taylor, James Ross, E. M. Williams, Lewis Webb, Miss Doris Leggett, Miss Anna Lucy Bray, and the hostess, Mrs. Thompson.

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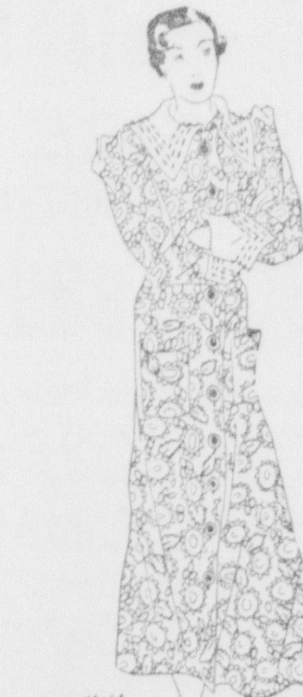
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SPRING FOOTBALL SHOWING IN LION CAMP BRINGS OPTIMISM

FUNDAMENTALS PUSHED AS 45 CANDIDATES RESUME TRAINING GRIND

Approximately 45 Vernon Lions went through extensive drills on fundamentals of football yesterday with Head Coach W. C. "Heinie" Weir and assistants Burnett Cox, Wilson Herring and Will Gilmore expressing satisfaction with the work of the 12 lettermen and numerous rookies who have reported for the Spring session.

Four candidates for the 1937 Lion squad reported Monday and Tuesday, bringing the total of prospective football stars to 55. New candidates were Pat Knight, Paul Sweeney, Paul Barrett and Eugene Hathaway. Almost a dozen Lions, however, were absent from practice, suffering from colds or light attacks of influenza.

Prospects for an efficient football machine appear much brighter this Spring than at the same date last year, returning lettermen numbering 12 this season as compared with four in 1936, and prospective reserve strength being much greater.

Among other reasons why Coach Weir and staff are smiling during practice sessions are the performances of several boys who have had no previous football experience. Included in this group is Wilton Pybus, long and lanky junior high student, whose punting shows promise of developing into an important factor in the Lions' play. Pybus is likewise slated to go through long workouts in the practice of tossing passes.

Another of the Junior High new-comers is rangy James Love, at present working at a tackle position. Big and seemingly with the needed qualifications, Love should develop into an excellent lineman.

Homer Matney, likewise from the Junior High, stubby center of last year's Marines, with three years of eligibility before him, is among candidates working at the center position. Matney, who is the originator

LOOP-LEADING MUSTANGS BEATEN BY RICE CAGERS

Houston, March 3. (P)—Coach Jimmy Kitts' Rice Owls, to which almost everything has happened this season, recognized no limitations Tuesday night in defeating Southern Methodist University, 1937 Southwestern Conference champions, 35-32.

Without the services of Willis Orr but with a rip-roaring leader in "Big Ike" Klendworth, the Owls presented their hardest hustling team of the season.

It was only the second defeat of the season for Coach Jimmy St. Clair's team, Arkansas holding the other.

PICKFORD-ROGERS MARRIAGE IS PLANNED IN CALIFORNIA

Kansas City, March 3. (P)—Mary Pickford will marry Buddy Rogers in California—at least her future father-in-law things so.

Miss Pickford, wearing scarlet lounging pajamas, with slippers and fingerlings to match, apparently squelched rumors of a London wedding during a 20-minute stop-off here last night, en route for England to join her fiancé.

Probate Judge Bert Rogers, who met her at the train, said: "I believe the wedding will be out there," nodding in the general direction of California.

CONSTRUCTION OF REFINERY AT CORPUS CHRISTI PLANNED

Tulsa, Okla., March 3. (P)—A contract for the construction of a refinery at Corpus Christi, to handle between 5,000 and 6,000 barrels of crude oil a day has been awarded to the Frick-Reid Supply Company of Tulsa. It was announced Tuesday by the Barnsdall Refining Company.

The cost of the refinery was not made public.

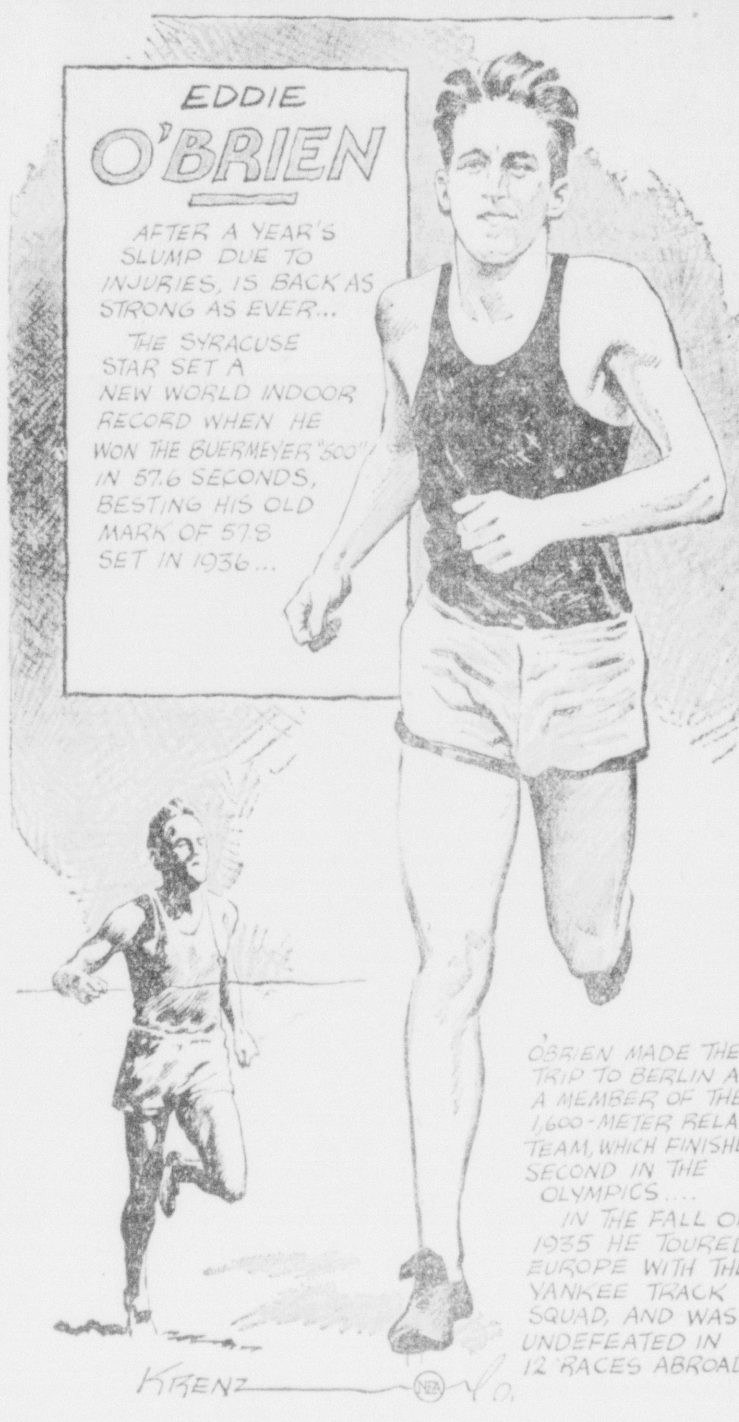
Construction will begin as soon as final plans can be drafted, Frick-Reid officials said.

A. C. C. STEPS INTO TEXAS CONFERENCE CAGE FINALS

Athens, March 3. (P)—Athens Christian College defeated McMurry College by one point to slip into the Texas Conference basketball championship finals Friday with Daniel Baker.

The Christian's 21 to 30 victory last night over McMurry dropped the Indians from the championship play.

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Sports Editors Pick Joe Louis in Braddock Bout; Pompoon for Derby; Yankees and Cards in 1937 Series

New York, March 3. (A-P)—If you care to parlay expert opinion on the outcome of this year's major offerings in professional sports competition, for or against, here's the forecast:

Joe Louis to whip Jim Braddock for the world heavyweight title in Chicago, Pompoon to capture the Kentucky Derby, Harry Cooper to wear the United States open golf crown, and the New York Yankees to play the St. Louis Cardinals in the next World Series.

These are the consensus selections of America's leading sports editors who gazed into the crystal ball at the request of the Associated Press, crossed their fingers, and put themselves on record for the campaign of 1937 on all major fronts. It's Broadway Jack Doyle's opinion this five-star parlay is a 500 to 1 proposition.

A year ago, the ringside experts wouldn't have given Braddock one chance in a hundred to keep his title crown safe from the assault of the Brown Bomber. So rapidly have subsequent events altered opinion that our poll shows a tally of only 27 to 20 in favor of Louis. This tallies pretty well with the present view of betting men that the Bomber will be no better than a 2 to 3 shot when he challenges the champion in Comiskey Park, June 22.

Derby selections give Pompoon, the Winter book favorite, only a 13 to 10 edge over Reaping Reward. The rest of the ballots cast on Kentucky's three-year old classic were scattered.

Harry Cooper seems likely to be the hottest choice for the U. S. Open crown since Gene Sarazen won in 1932 in the favorite's role. Cooper is the pick of 26, with no other player close. Henry Picary received four votes and Denny Shute three.

The World Champion Yankees, despite their holdout troubles, are topheavy choices to repeat in the American League. They polled 38 votes out of a possible 47. The Detroit Tigers received six votes, Cleveland Indians two, and the Chicago White Sox one.

Scarcely less overwhelming is the support for the Cardinals in the National League. They received 36 votes, with the New York Giants picked by only five sports editors to repeat their surprising triumph of last year.

Favorable recommendation was given by a Senate committee to a bill making the offense of drunken driving include any degree of intoxication and providing five to 90-day jail sentence and \$50 to \$500 fine.

A proposal to permit sexual sterilization of insane, which failed in previous sessions, received an 8 to 4 favorable report in the House Public Health committee.

As approved, the bill was limited to inmates of institutions for the insane, feeble-minded, idiots or imbeciles. The original would have authorized sterilization of habitual criminals and moral degenerates in the penitentiary.

SOUTHWESTERN A. A. U. MEET AT DALLAS UNDER WAY

Dallas, Texas, March 3. (P)—Three games open the first annual Southwestern A. A. U. basketball tournament at Southern Methodist University's fieldhouse here tonight.

Out of the 15 teams entered, including such standard teams as the Brown Paper Mills of Monroe, La.; Gaylors of Bogalusa, La.; Hardin-Simmons University, and others, will come a winner to represent the district in the National A. A. U. at Denver.

Games tonight find Dallas Railway pitted against Jewish Community Center of Dallas; San Mary's of Dallas vs. Morelle Athletic Club of Coleman, Texas; and Brown Paper Mills vs. Simmons Beds of Dallas.

Sul Ross Wins. San Antonio, March 3. (P)—Sul Ross defeated St. Mary's University in a basketball game here last night, 50 to 32.

Holland shipyards are building many new freighters and tankers.

GAME MARKERS ARE PLACED IN BORDER OLYMPIC FINALS

FIRST PRESERVE SIGN IS POSTED IN GRIMES BY EXTENSION SERVICE

College Station, March 3. (P)—The first game preserve demonstration marker in Texas, farmer-sportsmen cooperative program was nailed up Feb. 25 on the farm of W. W. Wilkerson near Bedias, Grimes County. Dr. E. Callender, Extension Specialist in wild life conservation, announces.

Williamson is the father of H. H. Williamson, director of the Extension Service of Texas A. & M. College, and Bedias is the birthplace of Callender.

Game preserve cooperatives have been organized in Grimes County with some 60,000 acres represented; Dallas County, 200,000 acres; and Kaufman County, 75,000 acres, and are being organized in Baylor, Wichita, Wilbarger, Clay, Young, and Archer counties, Callender says.

The demonstrations contemplate protection of game, providing of food and cover, control and predatory animals, and proper utilization of the game crop. The program will be based on practical experience and research conducted by the Texas cooperative Wild Life Service, a cooperative work supported by the U. S. Bureau of Biological Survey, the Texas Game Fish, and Oyster Commission, the American Wild Life Institute, and Texas A. & M. College.

The service is headed by Dr. Walter P. Taylor, senior biologist of the United States Department of Agriculture.

Under the plan, farmers will band together for the protection and increase of game, practice game increasing measures, and provide sportsmen with regulated hunting at a small fee. Part of the fee may be turned into the treasury of the association to buy game food seeds and to restock.

County agricultural agents in such sections of the State as provide proper conditions for various game will sponsor the associations, which will be officered and managed by the land owners who are members.

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RECORDS FALL IN BORDER OLYMPIC FINALS

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Laredo, Texas, March 3. (P)—Six new records and two new champions emerged from the fifth International Border Olympic finals last night.

North Texas Teachers' College track and field men outscored the defending champion University of Texas team to top the college division. Thomas Edison High School of San Antonio scored a point more than a home town rival, Thomas Jefferson, to win in that division. Edison scored 17 points.

North Texas' athletes scored 39 3-5 points; Rice Institute 29 and Texas 25. Other schools fared as follows: Southwest Texas State Teachers College, 5; Texas A. & M., 4; Abilene Christian College, 4 1-5; East Texas State Teachers, 2 3-5.

Behind Edison and Jefferson in the high school group came Lockhart with 10 points, Alamo Heights (San Antonio) 9, Corpus Christi (San Antonio) Tech 7, Brackenridge (San Antonio) and Donna, 4 each, and Lufkin (San Antonio) and Hebbronville, 1 each.

Vickery of Texas jumped 6 feet five and a half inches for a new Border Olympics record, other record makers were: Patterson of Rice, 120-yard high hurdles, 14.9 seconds; H. Morgan, North Texas, mile run, 4:29.1; Weichert of Rice, pole vault, 12 feet nine inches; North Texas, mile relay, three minutes 24 seconds.

For the high schoolers, Terry of Lockhart ran 880 yards in two minutes, eight seconds. Lockhart's relay team ran the half mile in 37.7 seconds for another new mark.

About 200 athletes from Texas and Mexico took part.

St. Petersburg, Fla.—Although only the battermen are officially in training yet, the New York Giants have good news from their outfield department. Myril Hoag, who was badly hurt last July and had to remain out of action the remainder of the season, arrived from California yesterday and reported he was in perfect condition.

Pasadena—Today was reunion day for Manager Jimmy Dykes and his Chicago White Sox pitchers and catchers. The party which left Chicago Monday night was due and Dykes planned to hustle all hands to the training site for the first workout of the season.

New Orleans—Pitcher Bill Zuber, tall, knock-kneed German, drew attraction today from Manager Steve O'Neill of the Cleveland Indians. "If he didn't have anything else I'd have to give him a chance on account of those legs," said O'Neill. "I wouldn't say you have to be knock-kneed to be a good pitcher but Mathey, Alexander, Ray Caldwell and Wally Ferrell couldn't walk without wearing calotabs on the insides of their knees."

Cincinnati—Eight Cincinnati Redlegs, five of them regulars, left with Manager Charley Dresen today to open Spring training tomorrow at Tampa, Fla.

Orlando, Fla.—Manager Bucky Harris assured hard-hitting Cecil Travis today of a steady job at shortstop for the Washington Senators this season. Travis signed a contract yesterday.

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Braddock Selects Sixth Round for Win Over Bomber

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New York, March 3. (P)—Leaving the art of legerdemain to magicians, here's the way the heavyweight boxing situation looked today: A healthy-looking, diplomatic Max Schmeling, who believed he can beat Joe Louis every day in the week, was in the big town poo-nooning suggestions that Jim Braddock will run out of his title date with the German on June 3 in Madison Square Garden's bowl to meet Louis on June 22 in Chicago.

Titleholder Braddock, apparently oblivious and unconcerned over Schmeling's presence, announced in Miami he would pitch camp in Sandy Lake, Wis., for his bout with Louis—not Schmeling.

If Braddock "isn't" fighting Schmeling on June 3, then Max doesn't know what he'll do. Some fellows, recalling how Schmeling won the title from Jack Sharkey, sitting down, suggested he would claim the crown if Jimmy takes a powder.

"No," said Max, "titles are won and lost in the ring."

Regarding the Anti-Nazi League's boycott, Max said "there wouldn't be a boycott if they thought Braddock could beat me in two or three rounds." Furthermore, he can't sympathize with Braddock's yen for money.

"What about when Max Baer had to fight Braddock for the title?" asked Max. "There wasn't much money in it for Baer, but he went through with it."

Bible To Aid Waldorf. Evanston, Ill., March 3. (P)—Dana X. Bible, who recently moved from Nebraska to the University of Texas, will collaborate with Lynn Waldorf in teaching football at the Northwestern University Summer coaching school this year, Athletic Director Kenneth L. (Tug) Wilson announced today. The school will run from Aug. 16 to 28.

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DEADLINE ON TAX NEARING

INCOME LEVY RETURNS TO GET DETAILED STUDY IN VIEW OF CHANGES

Washington, March 3. (AP)—Treasury officials said today they would analyze 1936 income tax returns carefully to gauge far-reaching changes in the tax structure enacted in the last two years.

The revisions were made after hot battles in Congress and still are the target of numerous proposals for amendment.

As most of the Nation's income taxpayers worked against the March 15 deadline for filing returns, officials explained the most important changes were in corporation income levies. These included the controversial undistributed profits tax.

Rates on individuals demand heavier contributions from those in upper income brackets. Under the 1935 revenue act, effective for the first time on 1936 incomes, all surtax rates on individual incomes of \$50,000 upward were increased. The former maximum of 59 per cent on an advanced to 75 per cent on a new bracket of over \$50,000.

PEACE IN WESTERN EUROPE IS GOAL OF GREAT BRITAIN

London, March 3. (AP)—Great Britain will make "a new effort for progress in a new Western European agreement" by negotiations with Germany, Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden told the House of Commons.

Britain will continue, however, to turn a deaf ear to Germany's plea for return of the former German colonies which Britain took over after the World War, Eden declared during a debate on British foreign policy.

Expressing regret at lack of progress toward a Western European agreement, Eden added:

"Admittedly, the League of Nations has its difficulties but it is far from being entombed."

INJUNCTION SOUGHT TO HALT STOPPING OF HEAVY TRUCKS

Fort Worth, March 3. (AP)—Hearing on an injunction, sought by several trucking concerns, to restrain State, county and local officers from stopping trucks loaded with more than 7,000 pounds, began before

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Mrs. Maggie S. Hornum, Box 101, Clarendon, Tex., said: "Early in life when about 22, I was troubled with painful periods and headaches associated with them. I began taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription as a tonic and I was greatly relieved. I also took the 'Prescription' during pregnancy and it increased my appetite and thru this I had more strength. Buy of your neighborhood drugist. New size, tablets 50c, liquid \$1 & \$1.35."

Federal District Judge James C. Wilson Tuesday.

The suit was brought by the Houston and North Texas Motor Freight Lines, the Gillette Motor Transit Company, and the Yellow Transit Company, all of Dallas, which operate trucks in Texas and Oklahoma.

Although the State law specifies trucks can be loaded only up to 7,000 pounds, the petitioners argue trucks can be operated safely up to 14,000 pounds and that since the law was passed in 1931 there have been substantial improvements in highways.

SUSPECT IN BLAST SLAYING RETURNED TO SIOUX FALLS

Sioux Falls, S. D., March 3. (AP)—William (Billy) Nesbeth, Sioux City, wanted for murder in the gangland powderhouse slaying of Harold Baker, ex-convict of California, here New Year's Eve, was lodged in jail Tuesday after a fast, midnight ride from Sioux City.

He was brought to Sioux Falls by State, county and city officers after being arrested at Oklahoma City Friday night and waiving extradition. Nesbeth's questioners reported him ready to "lay his cards on the table."

C. J. Delbridge, Deputy State's Attorney, said Nesbeth would be questioned Tuesday and arraigned on a further charge in Municipal Court probably Thursday or Friday.

HUGH JOHNSON REPLIES TO CRITICISM IN NRA STUDY

Washington, March 3. (AP)—Hugh S. Johnson, first NRA administrator, met with sharp rebuttal Tuesday some of the critical findings of the committee which surveyed the recovery agency for President Roosevelt.

Johnson asserted the group of Government officials and private economists and business men was "a packed committee of people who were inimical to the NRA."

Discussing a statement in their report that many NRA rules did not have the support of a large majority of citizens, he asserted "the only people who broke the codes were the chiselers."

Vice Versa.

Beaumont, March 3. (AP)—Business college students here worked a variation of the "sit-down" strike technique and got results—by standing up. They wanted a half holiday to celebrate a State anniversary. When the assembly bell rang 300 students marched to classes but refused to sit down. School heads acquiesced before any fallen arches were reported.

With Parking Meters?

Kokomo, Ind., March 3. (AP)—The Amish religious sect, living near here, has asked Mayor Olin R. Holt to provide a parking lot for their vehicles. A prohibition laid down by their religion as to means of locomotion and an absence of livery stables complicates their problem. They use only Dobbin and a buggy.

Soybean meal ranks high as a protein for increasing egg production of hens.

LATINS TO AID IN EXPOSITION

PAN-AMERICAN EVENT AT DALLAS GAINS FAVOR ON SOUTHERN TOUR

Dallas, March 3. (AP)—Central American republics, closest neighbors to Texas, already have accepted almost unanimously invitations to take part in the Greater Texas and Pan American Exposition, opening at Dallas June 12.

Director General Frank L. McNeny received reports at the Exposition offices in Dallas this week from two flying emissaries as they completed their swing through Mexico and the six Central American Republics, without a refusal at any point.

Mexico's formal acceptance is expected momentarily from President Cardenas, who was out of the capital at time of the visit of Dr. Roscoe R. Hill of Washington and Charles H. Abbott of the Exposition staff. His cabinet members already have signified acceptance.

Guatemala and Nicaragua have accepted. Unofficially, participation in the Exposition has been planned by Honduras and is anticipated by El Salvador, Costa Rica and Panama.

This makes the record perfect up to the envoys' entry into the South American continent with first calls at the capitals of Ecuador, then Peru and Chile. Crossing to the Atlantic seaboard, they will return through Argentina, Uruguay, Brazil, Venezuela and Colombia, then across to Cuba to complete their trip about mid-April.

The participation already planned gives strong Latin American flavor to America's only international fair of 1937, which will run a 20 weeks season through October.

The \$25,000,000 exposition park already is redesigned to conform to distinctive architecture of the American civilization that flourished before colonization from Europe.

SENATOR WHEELER AIMS VAN SWERINGEN DEALS

Washington, March 3. (AP)—Chairman Wheeler, Democrat, Montana, of the Senate railroad finance committee, said the late Van Sweringen brothers had used railway holding companies as "a device to circumvent the laws of the United States."

The Cleveland railroad magnates "went to the House of Morgan for help" in getting around the 1920 transportation act, Wheeler asserted. The act requires Interstate Commerce Commission approval for all rail consolidations.

Wheeler said two of the brothers' consolidation schemes were vetoed by the Commission in 1926. One plan, he said, was rejected as "inimical to the public interest."

Shortly thereafter, he continued, the Van Sweringens "hit upon the holding company as a device for avoiding Interstate Commerce Commission supervision."

"SILLY BILL" COMES HOME AFTER JOURNEY IN HATBOX

Corpus Christi, March 3. (AP)—The cat came back. "Silly Bill," a gray tomcat with a crippled leg, made its home with Henry Gouger at Robstown after it was injured. Recently the family moved to Corpus Christi and, on account of its lameness, "Silly Bill" was transported in a hatbox.

A few days later, Roger Butler who occupies the former home of the Gougers, says he found the cat curled up on his doorstep, but how it made the 16-mile journey on three legs is a mystery.

"He was so crippled he could hardly walk," Gouger says, "and made the trip to Corpus Christi in a hatbox."

TRAPPERS NEAR SAN ANGELO RECEIVE \$250,000 FOR FURS

San Angelo, March 3. (AP)—Marketing a fur crop having an estimated value of \$250,000, the largest in nearly a decade, has been completed in this section. Prices ranged more than 30 per cent higher than in the 1935-36 season for much of the trapping period, but toward the end dropped more than 15 per cent, dealers say. This was attributed more to decline in the quality of pelts than to over-supply.

Many ranchmen and farmers who had not trapped in recent years entered the field this year. M. C. Couch, buyer at Ozona, says more than \$25,000 was paid to trappers in Ozona County.

MIDDLE WESTERN TOURISTS VISIT RIO GRANDE VALLEY

Brownsville, March 4. (AP)—It is estimated more than 15,000 tourists are in the Rio Grande Valley, including approximately 3,000 in Brownsville, taking hotel and housing accommodations, hotel and real estate men say. The major part of the visitors are from the Middle West, although the country at large is represented.

Tourists have been seeking the Valley playground for many years, but it is the consensus their number this year is larger than heretofore.

PROGRAM ARRANGED FOR PANHANDLE PRESS MEET

Amarillo, March 3. (AP)—Directors announce the annual convention of the Panhandle Press Association will be held here April 23 and 24. Banquets by Colonel Ernest O. Thompson, member of the Texas Railroad Commission, and the Amarillo News-Globe, together with a visit to the West Texas State Teachers College at Canyon, will be the chief items of entertainment for the publishers and editors.

Medical Meet Planned.

Nacogdoches, March 3. (AP)—Dr. Henry Tucker, secretary of the Nacogdoches Medical Society, announces the South Texas district of the State Medical Association and the State Department of Health will hold a convention here March 11 and 12. Sessions for physicians and the general public will be addressed by prominent doctors. Public sessions will be held in the auditorium of Stephen F. Austin Teachers College.

SOCIAL SCIENTISTS TO HEAR PEACE EXPONENT

Dallas, March 3. (AP)—Dr. Edwin A. Elliott, National Labor Relations Board Director for Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico, will be one of the principal speakers at the Southwest Social Science Association convention here March 26 and 27. Dr. Karl E. Ashburn, economist at Southern Methodist University, in making the announcement says Dr. Elliott two years ago resigned his commission as Major in the Texas National Guard "because of his conviction for the cause of world peace," notwithstanding he was decorated with the Distinguished Service Cross for valor under fire in France in 1918.

The War Department's citation said: "An ammunition detail having failed several times to carry ammunition over barrage zone, Sergeant Elliott voluntarily gathered and conducted an ammunition detail over three kilometers under extremely heavy artillery and machine gun fire to the front line. In advance of his men, he dragged a full box of Springfield ammunition for over a kilometer and distributed it to the men in the front line. Later he voluntarily carried a message back to regimental headquarters."

NARCOTIC AGENTS RELATE RING SMASHING ACTIVITIES

Dallas, March 3. (AP)—Government narcotic agents related Tuesday in the trial of 10 defendants how they travelled 1,300 miles to Salt Lake City, Utah, in efforts to smash the Southwest's largest narcotic ring.

K. C. Rudd, narcotic agent, said he shadowed Guy Payne, one of the defendants, watched him mail a package containing 840 grains of morphine and then he trailed the package to Salt Lake City.

Rudd, travelling aboard the same train, said he checked the parcel at every point where a change of trains was made. The box left Dallas Dec. 17, 1936, and arrived at its destination three days later.

At Salt Lake City he arrested Danny Miller, another defendant, in a hotel just after Miller had accepted the package from a room clerk, Bill Hanak, Salt Lake City hotel clerk, corroborated Rudd's story.

JESSE JAMES IS RECALLED BY "UNCLE BEN" WILLIAMS

Dalhart, March 3. (AP)—"Uncle Ben" Williams, 87-year-old Texas plainsman, says he first saw Jesse James in a company of men under Captain Quantrell. Williams was 12 and lived in Northern Arkansas where he was born. He moved to old Fort Mobette more than 50 years ago and has conducted a stock farm near here 35 years.

Williams says the famous outlaw would be more than 50 years old, if he lived, instead of about 35 as claimed recently by a man representing himself to be James.

Ranching Pays.

San Angelo, March 3. (AP)—John P. Lee of San Angelo says he once had a horse he didn't want and traded it for 125 goats. He ran the flock up to 2,500, sold them for \$5 a head, and quit the business. "It was the fastest money I ever made ranching," he says.

Swimming Pools Are Built by CCC Employees

Austin, March 3. (AP)—A study shows that outdoor areas affording bathing facilities are the most largely used by Texans, indicating that the people of this State prefer swimming to other types of recreation, says the National Park Service.

The information obtained was helpful to the State Parks Board in developing plans to assure to recreation-seekers what they want, says a statement by the Park Service. A program was drawn to include swimming areas and bath houses at some of the State parks where the CCC is working under joint technical supervision of the National Park Service and the State Parks Board. Some of these areas have been completed and others are being developed, the statement says.

State parks in readiness for the coming swimming season include: Bonham, Corpus Christi, Garner, near Con Can; Bastrop; Balmorhea; McKenzie; Lubbock; Meridian, Stephenville; Grayson County, near Denison; and Goose Island in the bay near Corpus Christi.

At Garner Park swimming is in the Frío River where a beach has been provided. There are pools at Bastrop and McKenzie State Parks, and lakes at Bonham, Corpus Christi, Meridian, and Stephenville. McKenzie pool was built by the city of Lubbock prior to development of the park being taken over by the CCC. The pool at Balmorhea has two lanes, each 75 feet wide and 250 long, leading into a central area. One of the lanes is a wading pool for children.

England had only 35,000 convictions for drunkenness in 1933, as compared to 118,877 in 1913.

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CAPITAL SEES CONTRAST ON INAUGURATION DATE

Washington, March 3. (AP)—It was "business as usual" in the capital today in contrast with that teeming, suspense-sharpened March 3, 1933, when President Herbert Hoover and Franklin D. Roosevelt exchanged amenities and solemn words in the White House.

Many recalled the predictions on that dark inauguration eve that the President-elect was preparing surprises. Visitors were crowding the city and flags gave a gay appearance which belied the general concern over the banking situation.

Now the talk in capital corridors is principally about Mr. Roosevelt's latest surprise—his prescription for pursuit of social objectives without resort to constitutional amendment.

Mr. Roosevelt began that last busy day as a private citizen with a conference while he still was abed in his hotel suite six blocks from the White House. No public intimation of his plans followed either those meetings or the short visit with Mr. Hoover.

Only later was it learned that he declined to share responsibility for closing the Nation's banks until the responsibility was rightly his. Once he had taken the oath of office, he did not hesitate.

Slaying Case Continued.

Newton, Texas, March 3. (AP)—Cases of Vernon Wells and James Bowie, Negro, charged in connection with the six-year-old slaying of Richard Ridgeway, were continued in District Court Tuesday. Judge F. P. Adams notified witnesses in the two cases not to appear in court until further orders.

Health Committee Hears Talks on Family Problems

How the home and the school may assist children who are given to lying was the subject of a discussion given by Mrs. Paul Lowke Tuesday afternoon at a meeting of the Wilbarger County Health Committee in the office of Mrs. Ruby Ripperton, County Health Nurse.

Mrs. Lowke, who is active in work of the local Child Training Circle, also dealt with other family relationships. Mrs. Ripperton gave her monthly report to the group, and highlights of the recent State Child Health Conference in Austin were given by members who attended.

Present for the meeting were W. T. Lofland, Knox Kinard, R. T. Evans, and Mesdames R. L. Coffee, J. B. Ross, Roy Abbott, Hub Colley, Ruby Ripperton, and Paul Lowke.

Tree-Planting Planned.

Childress, March 3. (AP)—Seventy acres of shelterbelt trees will be planted this Spring in Childress and Hall counties, V. E. Hafner, Childress County Agent, announced.

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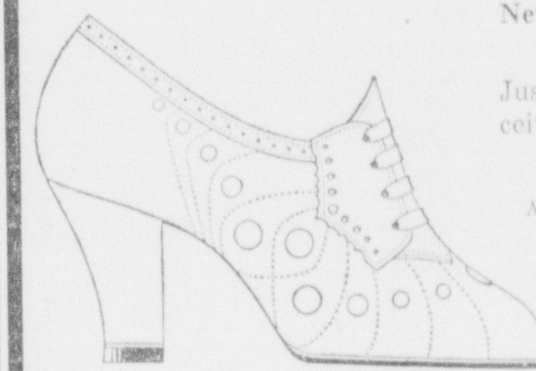
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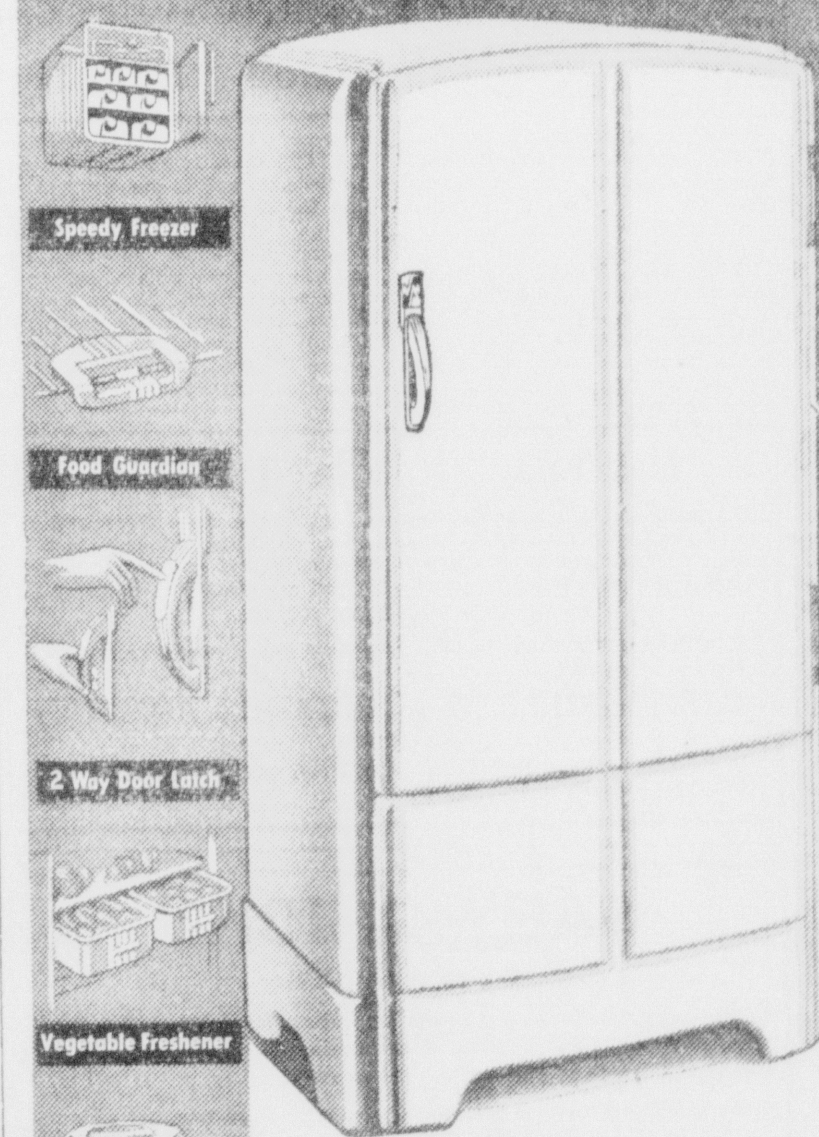
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GREAT BRITAIN CALLS THE BLUFF.**Heaviest Peace-Time Armament Budget Is Approved, but Way Is Kept Open for Peace.**

News from London recently records not only the determination of John Bull to maintain his supremacy on the sea but also a purpose to match land and air armaments of possible enemies on the continent. The greatest peace-time armament budget in the history of the British Empire went through Parliament with only mild objections from the minority.

The program is elastic to the extent that it empowers the Cabinet to adjust expenditures to meet the exigencies of international relations. If treaties regarded as assuring the peace of Europe are negotiated the Cabinet may scale down expenditures.

Thus the measure is something of a double-barreled affair. It holds out the olive branch to the European powers and manifests a willingness to hold armaments within reasonable limits, but at the same time it unequivocally serves notice that Great Britain will not be caught unprepared as she was in 1914.

This is a stern sort of diplomacy, but apparently no other course is open either to Great Britain or the United States. With Japan and all the continental nations engaged in feverish military preparations, none but the most foolhardy could contend that the two great English-speaking nations should remain unprepared.

It is a hard road for civilization. Intelligent people admit its stupidity. But intelligence likewise enforces the conclusion that the only hope of bringing order out of chaos is for the only peaceable nations in the world to prepare for eventualities. As long as gangsters are at large we can't disarm the police.

MR. LEWIS SCORES MAJOR VICTORY.**Agreement With Steel Operators on Labor Conditions of Greatest Significance.**

Announcement of the signing of contracts between major steel concerns and representatives of the John L. Lewis' industrial unions marks a development of the highest importance in the field of labor relations. Unionization of steel has long been a goal of labor leaders, but all previous efforts proved unavailing.

Success of the negotiations in the steel industry, following closely on the heels of at least partial success in the General Motors dispute, places Mr. Lewis in a position to dictate terms to his opposition among labor leaders. In the short space of a few months he has gained a foothold in two major open shop strongholds—motors and steel. This is something which American Federation of Labor leaders had failed to accomplish in more than a generation.

A topic of speculation will be the apparent willingness of some erstwhile opponents of organized labor among employers to agree to terms with a branch of organized labor considered more radical than the American Federation of Labor.

Another point of speculation is what results may follow a shift from the traditional conservatism of craft unions to the more advanced mass unionism advocated by the Lewis faction. The unusual methods of Mr. Lewis may be merely a shrewd method of placing himself at the head of the labor movement in this country. Those who are familiar with the history of the labor movement in the United States wonder if he, like Gompers and Green, will become conservative once his position is assured.

It is a development of the first magnitude and the results will be awaited with interest, because it involves the economic and political future of this country.

SPEEDY ACTION IS NEEDED.**Senate Should Lose No Time in Passing House Revision of Drivers' License Laws.**

Action in the Texas Senate on a House measure providing for stronger regulations in licensing drivers of motor vehicles is awaited by safety-minded citizens. It is time for realization that operation of a motor car on the highways is a privilege and not a right. Properly handled an automobile is a useful servant; but improperly used, it is a menace to the lives, health and property of everyone in its path.

While airplane pilots and railway engineers must go through long periods of training, motorists with the bare knowledge of starting and stopping a vehicle speed along crowded highways, where the slightest error may cause death, yet neither the airplane pilot nor the locomotive engineer has a problem of traffic congestion.

The accident problem will never be solved until regulations ban the incompetent and reckless driver from the roads. A motorist does not have the right to drive until it can be shown that he is worthy of the privilege.

Strange, but none of the manufacturers thought to attack the sidown menace through the medium of "Fresh Paint" signs.

It is questionable which is the more piteous spectacle: sit-down strikers after a tear gas barrage, or an audience during "Camille."

Goldfish have been frozen solid and thawed out 552 times in 10 days by a New York university scientist, probably a former janitor.

TRADE BOARD HITS MERGERS**RECOMMENDATIONS GIVEN CONGRESS ON HANDLING OF COMMODITIES**

Washington, March 3. (AP)—The Federal Trade Commission has asked Congress for power to prevent business mergers tending to lessen competition.

This recommendation was made in a report on an investigation of the Nation's food industries.

Other recommendations included: Grain—That all deliveries of grain on futures contracts be made from public warehouses under Federal regulation, with uniform storage rates fixed by a Federal agency; that the Interstate Commerce Commission require railroads to operate their elevators as public warehouses at fixed rates; that brokers, commission men, officers and large stockholders of companies doing a brokerage or commission business in futures for customers be prohibited from speculating in grain futures.

Cotton—That study be made of Federal licensing of warehouses, of cutting the unit of futures sales from 100 to 50 bales, and of the feasibility of determining cotton grades and staples at the gin.

Politic—That the Department of Justice take action against "monopolies and rackets" in some of the larger markets, especially New York and Chicago.

"VOODOO" SLAYING CONFRONTS OFFICERS IN LOUISIANA CITY

Shreveport, La., March 3. (AP)—The "voodoo" slaying of a Negro woman confronted police here.

Lucinda Randle, 39, was found in a wooded section south of here Monday with her throat slashed. Her head rested on the shoulder of her husband, Howard Randle, 37, who was quoted by Sheriff's deputies as saying that he was waiting for "the voodoo spell" his wife had placed on him to take his life.

Randle, held in parish prison without charge pending an inquest, told Dr. Willis P. Butler, Caddo Parish Coroner, that his wife said on Monday she had poisoned his coffee, and that when it failed to kill him she applied the "voodoo spell."

Coroner Butler said Randle told of kissing his wife goodnight and slitting her throat. Then he lay down by her side to await the "voodoo" death.

SHERIFFS, JAILERS BLAMED FOR KANGAROO COURTS

Washington, March 3. (AP)—James V. Bennett, director of Federal prisons, blamed sheriffs and jailers for kangaroo courts, in which "self-elected" cliques of prisoners rule newcomers with the whip.

One mock court of inmates in a Louisiana jail charged newcomers he said, with "breaking in jail without back saws, dynamite or without our consent. Guilty or not guilty?"

Punishment for such a "crime," he said, may be whipping with a leather strap, dragging around the jail floor or other mistreatment. An inmate with money can buy the "Judge," "Prosecuting Attorney" and "Court," however, usually at the rate of one cent a lash.

Justice Department study of court rules drawn up by prisoners in Louisiana, Alabama, Mississippi, Georgia, Tennessee, and Texas has shown, Bennett declared, that the mock court has not changed much since it started about 1750.

ROSE FESTIVAL PRESIDENT NAMED AT TYLER MEETING

Tyler, March 3. (AP)—W. A. Jounds, Tyler banker, was named president of the Texas Rose Festival Association at a meeting of the board of directors Tuesday.

W. G. Goldman was elected first vice president; Carl Shambarger, second vice president; H. J. Bryant, treasurer and John Womble, secretary-manager. The festival will be held next Oct. 8-10, featured by the Mississippi State-Texas A. and M. football game.

CLOSING CROSS AND CADDO LAKES TO FISHING APPROVED

Baton Rouge, La., March 3. (AP)—Resolutions of the Caddo Parish police jury closing Cross Lake to fishing from February 1 to May 1 and Caddo Lake for March and April received Governor Richard W. Leche's approval Tuesday.

Texas recently acted to close its section of Cross Lake to fishing for a conservation period.

Five Seconds Girls.

New York, March 3. (AP)—A man is suing the telephone company for refund of what he insists were overcharges on some long distance calls, and the testimony brought out: That "hello girls" throughout the country regularly deduct five seconds from their calculations of the time consumed in calls to protect the patron from error. The sum at issue in the suit is \$2.85.

Noise Abatement.

Manumie, Ill., March 3. (AP)—Flood waters washed Noble Weaver's hens away, drowned his cow and wrecked his home, but the flood added insult to injury. They foregathered—in water three feet deep on his front porch every night and raised such a racket he couldn't sleep. He kept clubbing them away but they always returned. They were whoppers, he said, meaning the fish.

Assault Suspects Jailed.

Dallas, March 3. (AP)—Two men were jailed early Tuesday for investigation of an assault on John Vickers, 47, of Wichita Falls, who was clubbed on the head with an undetermined object shortly after midnight as he walked along the railroad tracks near the M-K-T roundhouse, Vickers was taken to a hospital in serious condition.

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Spanish Reds in Drive on Toledo In New Offensive

Madrid, March 3. (AP)—Government forces, driven from Toledo after a defeated insurgent force and to have entered a Toledo suburb.

(A dispatch from the Talavera De La Reina insurgent headquarters about 40 miles west of Toledo, however, declared the Tajo River front was quiet.)

Closer to the Madrid front, besieged and besieger played a seesaw game of attack and counter-attack in the University City sector, on the city's northwestern outskirts, to a deafening roar of trench mortars, hand grenades, machine guns and rifles.

GERMANY'S SECRET DEBT AIRED BY COMMISSION

Washington, March 3. (AP)—The Securities Commission told American holders of German securities Tuesday that the Reich Government had an unrecorded or "secret debt" of about \$2,000,000,000.

The Commission's unusual action in disclosing this debt accompanied an announcement that a German registration of \$69,000,000 bond issue to pay interest on foreign debts became effective Tuesday.

The German Government, the Commission said, had refused to include the \$2,000,000,000 debt in the registration filed with the Commission. It added the debt was being revealed so American purchasers could make an "intelligent appraisal" of the new interest bonds.

While the Commission felt it was important to inform Americans of the huge debt's existence, it said refusal to register it did not warrant a stop order being issued against the bond issue.

"ANTI-STATIC" MEASURE INTRODUCED IN OKLAHOMA

Oklahoma City, March 3. (AP)—A picture of radio-equipped automobiles, parked in wheat fields to get away from static blotting out world series play-by-play was drawn Tuesday by Representative George Paul of Harper County as he introduced a "static" measure.

"In my home city of Buffalo," Paul said, "you can't get a thing on the radio if someone starts an electric egg beater."

"When the world series was on last year, the boys in town with radios in their cars drove out of town and parked in the middle of wheat fields to get away from the interference and hear the games."

His bill, introduced in the House, would authorize the State Corporation Commission to purchase a special device to seek out sources of radio interference.

SEAMEN'S UNION LEADER CRITICIZES HOUSE BODY

Washington, March 3. (AP)—Joseph Curran of New York, Seamen's Union leader, accused the House Merchant Marine Committee Tuesday of being hostile to sailors.

Curran, who figured prominently in the recent Atlantic Coast maritime strike, testified in favor of a bill to repeal the law requiring seamen to carry continuous discharge books.

"There seems to be an undercurrent of hostility toward seamen in the committee," Curran stated as he took the stand.

"That's untrue," roared Chairman Bland, Democrat, Virginia. "The chair merely has tried to expedite the hearings."

Blast Claims Second Victim.

Tucson, Ariz., March 3. (AP)—Miss Leta Hinds, one of five persons buried in a gas explosion last Tuesday night at her home, died Tuesday, the second fatality of the accident. Miss Mildred Lee Crouch died Friday.

BRYCE CANYON WILL BE WELLS' RADIO SUBJECT

"Unka-timpe-wa-wince-pok-ich." That's the Paiute Indian name for Bryce Canyon—"red rocks standing like men in a bowl-shaped canyon." One of the natural wonders of Zion National Park, which will be described by Carveth Wells in the Continental Oil Company radio broadcast, "Exploring America with Conoco and Carveth Wells," over station WFFA, Dallas, at 6:30 o'clock Saturday night.

"In Zion National Park," says the internationally known explorer, "nature has done in broad daylight what men have done by night at Niagara Falls, where 'colored lights' illuminate the sparkling waters. Mountains and canyons of southwestern Utah look as if they had been painted by some giant artist who used a rainbow for his palette."

Besides Bryce Canyon, Wells will describe such points of interest as Cedar City, Inspiration Point, Cedar Canyon, Natural Bridge, Rainbow Point, Zion Canyon, Mount Carmel Highway, Temples of Zion, Cedar Breaks and the Court of Patriarchs.

San Antonio Tax Is Lowest.

San Antonio, March 3. (AP)—City taxes will not be increased and San Antonio will continue to have the lowest tax rate of any city its size, according to an official report filed with the City Clerk by Tax Commissioner Frank H. Bushick. The approval of the rate, 1.45 on the \$100 valuation, was obtained by Bushick from Mayor C. K. Guin and Commissioners in advance of formal adoption by ordinance to avoid delay in preparing tax bills.

Slaying Suspect Removed.

Orange, March 3. (AP)—Roland Clayboard, 40, charged by indictment with the eight-year-old slaying of Hal Hall, a dairymen, was removed by Sheriff Hubson Merriweather Tuesday to Newton to set out a writ of habeas corpus before District Judge F. P. Adams.

Plainview Names Superintendent.

Plainview, March 3. (AP)—O. J. Laas, principal of Plainview High School for the last 12 years, has been elected superintendent of the Plainview school system and will succeed C. E. Davis on July 1.

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LOST—On Highway Five near Peace River, buff engineer's level box. Return to Record. \$1.00 reward. 103-3tp

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HER NAME IN LIGHTS

By MARIE BLIZARD



BEGIN HERE TODAY
DAPHNE BRETT, good-looking, successful young New York advertising executive, rents the Connecticut estate her father left her when he died to LARRY SMITH attractive architect, and promptly becomes interested in him. Daphne has one sister, JENNIFER, six years younger, who is just out of college and has come to New York to live with her.

Jennifer's coming proves quite a test to Daphne because Jennifer is a chic, vivacious little modern who promptly proceeds to date Daphne's old beau, TUCK AINSLEY, her first night in New York. Daphne feels concerned because she feels it her duty to direct Jennifer. She also sees in Jennifer a challenge to herself—a challenge to get a bit more from life than a career.

But Daphne is under the impression that Larry Smith is married. Returning to her apartment one night Jennifer breaks the news that Mr. Smith had called, visited, and had invited her to Brett Hall. Daphne protests that Jennifer can't do that since Larry is married, whereupon Jennifer reveals that he is not married.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

LARRY SMITH wasn't married! He lived at Brett Hall with his mother and his aunt.

Daphne said, "Let's have frog's legs for dinner and something gals for a sweet."

"Not for me. My figure means too much," Jennifer answered promptly and stretched her lithe form full-length on the lounge. "Why the sudden celebration?"

Daphne couldn't tell her that she was suddenly light and gay inside her—lighter and gayer than she had been these last two months. She couldn't say that it made her happy to know that Larry Smith wasn't married. She took her happiness into the kitchen and rattled her pans and plates noisily. She knew that would keep Jennifer out of the kitchen and she wanted to be alone to think. She wanted to think of her own stupidity and to savor the knowledge that he had dropped in to pay her, Daphne a call.

He must have, she reasoned, because he didn't know Jennifer. But now he had seen Jennifer. For a brief moment the thought of Jennifer's overwhelming beauty depressed her. Then she set her mouth in the determined line she sometimes found when she had a difficult problem at the agency to overcome. Let Jennifer take what was hers and fight for what was not. Daphne didn't mind a little competition.

Not that she was in love with Larry Smith—She dismissed the thought instantly as being ridiculous. And admitted that he was the first man in her life that she had wanted to know.

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wanted to make her friend. The first man to whom she had been instantly as being ridiculous. And admitted that he was the first man in her life that she had wanted to know.

She thought of Tuck Ainsley and a small frown puckered her smooth forehead. Could it be possible that she had had her moments since that she had had her moments when she thought of taking Tuck seriously? Tuck was a dear. He was a challenge to her. She'd introduced him to so many attractive girls who had raved about him yet he was devoted to her—as devoted as he could be. And he had asked her to marry him.

"Well," she said to the salad she was mixing, "if someone like Larry Smith doesn't come into my life, I'll probably marry someone like Tuck some day."

"How was the job today?" she said to Jennifer when they were seated at the candle-lit table. Usually she avoided the subject since Jennifer could be so explosively unhappy about it. Tonight her sense of well-being spread to tolerance even of that unpleasantness.

"Lousy," Jennifer said concisely.

"Darling, why don't you attack it from a different point of view? You wanted to work in Wall Street and you're working there. There must be something good about it. I know that you're not used to being cooped up but that's what goes with a job like that. When you get to like it, it doesn't seem confining. What, exactly, is the trouble?"

"Men," Jennifer said. "The wrong ones. There are some awfully attractive boys in the outfit but I never even get a chance to meet them. Then old Harrison asks me to lunch and today he wanted to know if he could have a date with me on Friday night. You can imagine what I said!"

"I can," replied Daphne. "Of course, Harrison is 35, and that isn't the dapper age. And he does have social position. You might as well learn now as later, Jennifer, that the attractive boys you meet this way have girls in their own set."

"I'd like to know if you mean that I'm not good enough for them? The Bretts aren't exactly poor white trash."

"I know," Daphne went on patiently, "but we can't go around with a marked page 'B' of the social register pinned on our frocks. And we can't talk about it. New York is a hard town, Jennifer. The working girl is labeled the working girl here the same as anywhere else even if she does appear to have more chances. She has to work for them. You can't use a job as a social wedge. Not your kind of a job."

"Why not?" Jennifer disagreed. "If I get a chance to meet the kind of men I want to meet, why can't I take advantage of the opportunity? If a chorus girl—"

"You're not a chorus girl, Jennifer."

"Not yet," Jennifer said, and seeing the shadow darken her sister's face, she got up, came around the table and kissed Daphne on the top of her head.

"You're like a naughty child,"

"Where are you going?" she asked innocently.

"Thought you knew. No place special. Jen wanted to drive up to Brett Hall to see the foliage."

"Well," Daphne answered over her shoulder as she disappeared into her bedroom, "since you're going no place special, I'd like to see the foliage myself. I'll be ready in a jiffy."

Jennifer's angry eyes missed hers. (To Be Continued)

Daphne said, "and you'll have to be punished for frightening me. You can wash the dishes and I'll wipe them."

Jennifer splashed water merrily on her smart frock. "Don't bother about it, I can send it to the cleaners."

Daphne wanted to protest that every dollar—

"Why didn't you tell me how attractive the Brett tenant is?" Jennifer demanded and Daphne had no answer. She didn't—or hadn't seen much point in extolling the attractions of a married man to her young sister.

"I thought he was very attractive the one time I saw him," she said, concentrating on the glass she was drying.

"The trouble with you, Daph, is that you don't know how to make the best of your opportunities."

Daphne raised a quizzical eyebrow. Jennifer went on: "I do! The one time you saw him, indeed! I saw him once and made up my mind I was going to see him again."

"There's a 9 o'clock train. You might run out and ask him if the water pipes are working," Daphne said dryly.

"No need for that. I'm subtle. I'll do it my way—the subtle way."

"It's a great help to be subtle," Daphne agreed pleasantly.

"What are you doing Sunday afternoon?" Jennifer asked a minute later.

Daphne suppressed a smile. Was this the subtle way?

"Sunday? Let me see—oh, yes, the Franklands are having a super party for Kim Preston and his bride. We're both invited. Don't you remember? You said you were going to wear your black velvet."

"Oh, heavens! Another of those dreary super-parties!" How Jennifer had angled an invitation to the last one. "I think I'll cut it. I never get a chance to get outdoors and on my one day away from the office I have to stand around a smoky living room with a lot of old fogies."

Daphne digested the disclosures in Jennifer's speech.

Daphne buried her face in the Sunday newspaper and pretended not to see Jennifer's discomfiture. She stretched her legs in her velvet lounging pajamas as though she were settling down for the winter.

"It's three, Daph. Aren't you going to get dressed?"

Jennifer looked at her little wrist watch under her tweed sleeve.

"What are you going to do?"

Daphne asked lazily.

"Tuck is coming around in his roadster. We thought we'd drive in the country."

The country, Daphne knew, meant Brett Hall.

"That must be Tuck now," she said when an imperious rap sounded at the door.

It was Tuck.

"Hello, kids. What's this? The demon worker Daphne in pajamas at this time of day?"

Daphne managed a look of appealing sweetness.

"Don't scold, Tuck. I'm feeling lazy and fuzzy and dreading going to a smoky party with a lot of old fogies."

"Then why go?" Tuck said at once as Daphne had intended he should. "Get your clothes and come with us."

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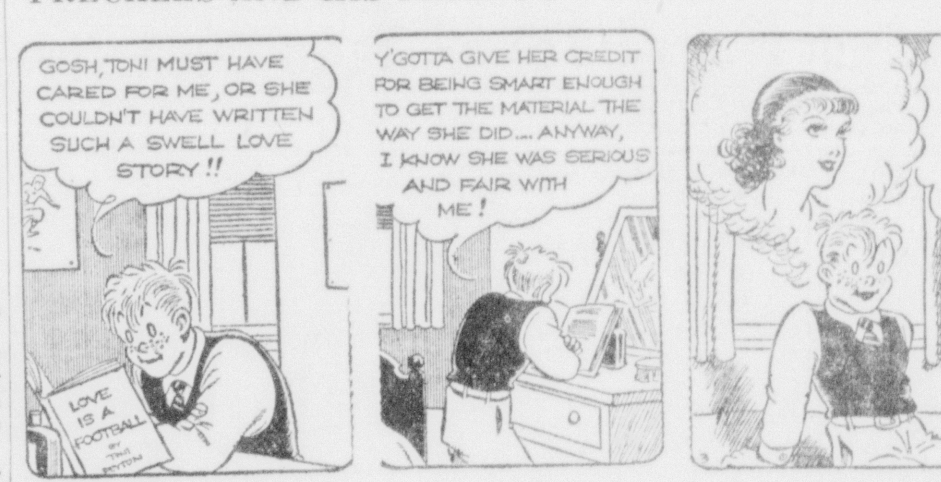


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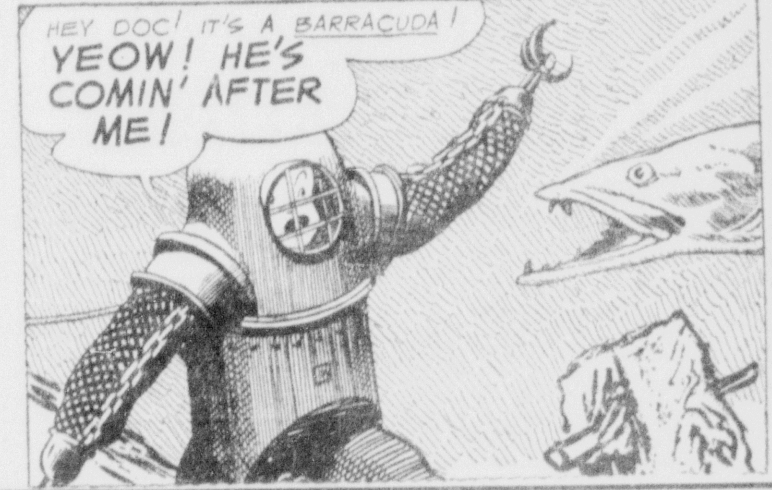


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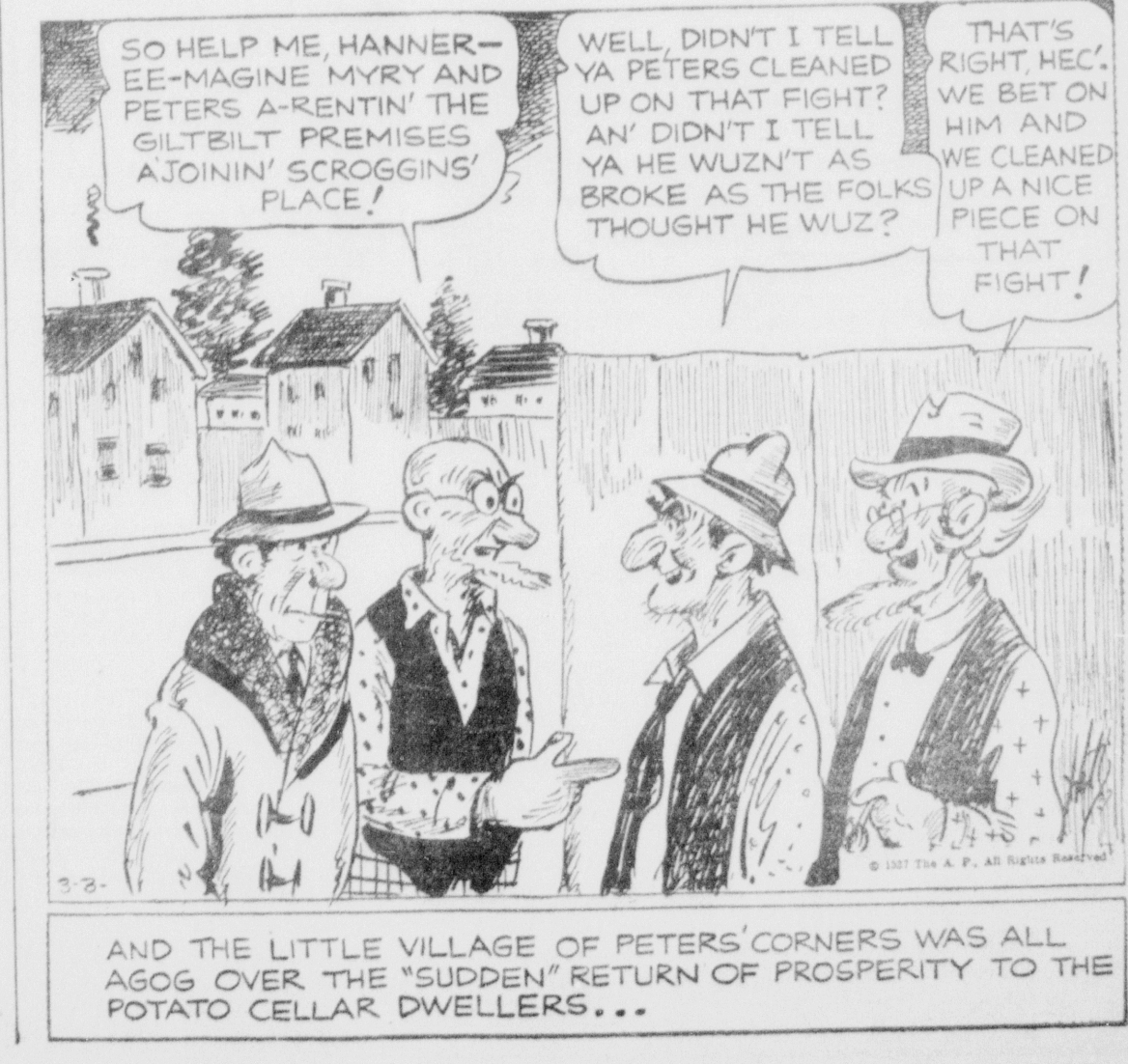
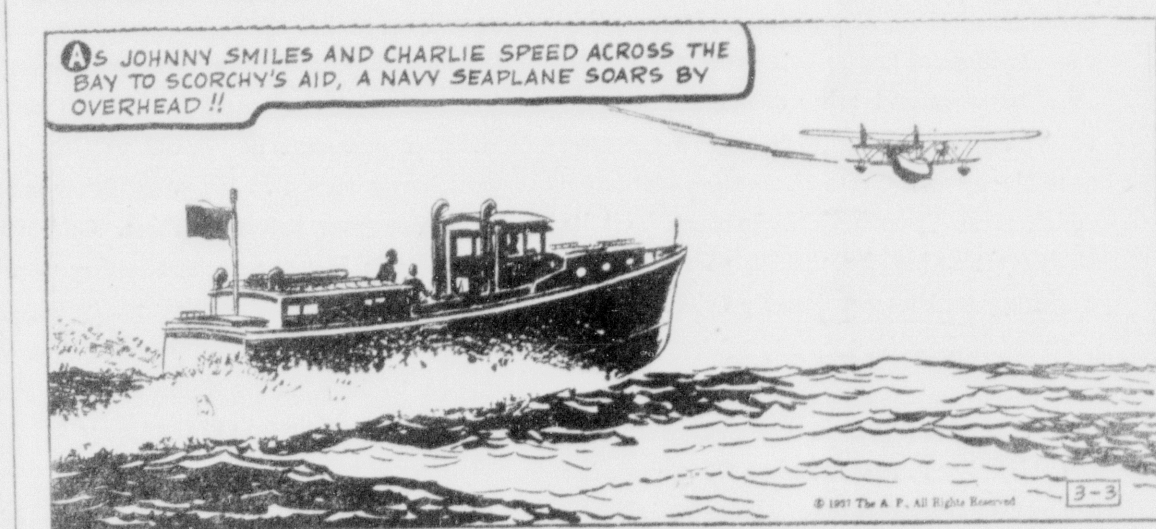


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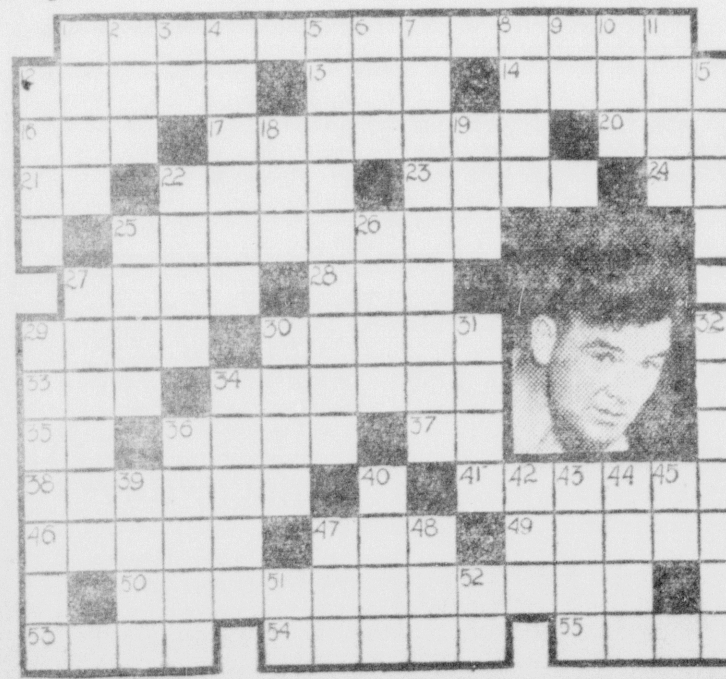
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- 19 Aurora.
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- 25 To expectorate.
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- 27 Rubbed out.
- 29 His native land.
- 30 Butterfly.
- 31 Sour.
- 32 He became a — in his first big bout.
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Washington, March 3. (AP)—Navy officials said today adoption of the 36-hour week by some major steel companies would break the deadlock in new shipbuilding, providing a half dozen other industries followed suit.

They expressed the belief the 36-hour week would put steel firms within the labor standards set up for large Government contractors under the Walsh-Healey Act.

Assistant Secretary Charles Edison said, however, that not all the Navy's problems would be solved by a supply of the metal.

He expressed hope that steel's new labor policy would be followed by manufacturers of machine tools, hydraulic gears, Diesel-driven electric generators, refrigerating and air conditioning machinery, electric output and feeder boxes and twine.

DEALER REPRESENTATION CHANGED BY MOTOR FIRM

Detroit, March 3.—A new system of dealer representation in important conferences held to determine general sales policy has been instituted by W. E. Heller, vice president and general sales manager of Chevrolet.

The first of a series of monthly meetings under the new system was held in Detroit, with one dealer from each of the nine Chevrolet regions representing groups of other dealers from his zone.

The men met for two days with Mr. Heller, Felix Doran, Jr., and H. B. Hatch, assistant general sales managers; C. P. Fiske, advertising manager; and E. A. Nimmich, manager of Chevrolet's retail selling department.

Following a general discussion of dealer problems in each area represented, the men returned to consult with fellow dealers. Next month, other dealers representing the company's nine regions will meet with the same executive group here. The dealers attending the meetings throughout the year are chosen at monthly meetings held in each of the regions.

A. B. MARTIN NAMED TO STATE SUPREME COURT

Austin, March 3. (AP)—The Supreme Court announced Tuesday appointment of Associate Justice A. B. Martin of the Amarillo Court of Civil Appeals as successor to the late Judge Joseph Ryan on the Supreme Court Commission.

Justice Martin served as a member of the Commission of the Court of Criminal Appeals under appointment by Gov. Dan Moody, and, after a period during which he practiced law, was appointed to the Amarillo court by Gov. Ross Sterling. Judge Ryan died in San Antonio Sunday.

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Dean of Navajo Medicine Men in New Mexico Dies

Rehoboth Mission, N. M., March 3. (AP)—The spirit of the greatest of Navajo medicine men winged a weary journey around the world today, and with it flew many a precious secret of the tribe's religious life.

Four times, says Navajo religion, the soul of Hosten Klah will encircle the earth—four times for the four points of the compass—and then it will soar away to a world beyond to reside in everlasting peace and beauty.

For Hosten Klah, kindly, beloved and versed in spiritual knowledge as no other Navajo of his time, is dead at the age of 70. And the sacred chants which he alone knew died with him yesterday in the little mission hospital.

Klah left no successor. His one understudy died four years ago and the aged chanter, realizing his own death was not far off, knew he would not have time to train another.

The Indians say it takes 10 years to learn one chant—they last from three to nine days, and every word, every gesture, every sacred object must be exactly in its proper place. Hosten Klah knew eight.

CATHOLIC CHURCH MAY RENOUCE NAZI PACT

Berlin, March 3. (AP)—The Roman Catholic Church will renounce its concordat with Adolf Hitler's Government, it was asserted today in church circles, if the Nazi regime carries out its threat to appropriate church lands for resettlement.

The office of Hans Kerrl, Minister for Church Affairs, meanwhile remained close-mouthed with regard to more complete details of the resettlement plan, except to say it was "nothing new."

VIOLENCE FEARED OVER CHINESE HONOR ARGUMENT

Sacramento, Calif., March 3. (AP)—The Fong family feared possible violence today in a financial argument between tongs over Chinese honors. Police in San Francisco and the Chinese Peace Society indicated they looked for a settlement without blood.

"Men walk forward," Fred Fong said in announcing his family had

rejected "face saving" reparation demands of the powerful Chan family. The next move, he indicated, is up to the Chans, who had demanded payment by last Saturday because a Fong girl accused a Chan of being the father of her unborn child.

The Chan demanded court costs of \$1,800 and "face saving" damages as a result of dismissal of police court charges against Chan Bong Yuen, 34, Chinese language teacher.

RESTORATION OF SIGHT PUZZLES KANSAS MECHANIC

Wichita, Kan., March 3. (AP)—Blind for 60 of his 62 years, Joseph Backlund—his sight restored by an operation—looked today on a strange world in which he must learn to associate objects with names. An expert mechanic, he has known a gasoline engine by touch for so long that sight of it leaves him a bit puzzled. "I can't tell what it is until I touch it," he explained.

WORKER ESCAPES HURT IN
EXPLOSION AT OILTON PLANT
Oilton, Okla., March 3. (AP)—J. T. Cooper, an oil field worker, escaped unhurt when an explosion and fire destroyed a \$50,000 Pure Oil Company casinghead gasoline plant near here Tuesday.

Cooper had just entered the plant, he told reporters, when "I noticed the accumulator gauge was bouncing around. I dived for the door and landed outside just as the explosion occurred."

The blast shook windows in Oilton and was heard for several miles. Fire followed immediately. Company employees and neighbors joined in putting the blaze under control.

Threat Note Reported.
Tulsa, Okla., March 3. (AP)—A crudely written note demanding \$5,000 from Mayor T. A. Penney was regarded by him today as "the work of some crank." The note was turned over to Postal Inspector George Hill and two agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

Blast Ruins Instruments.
Rockport, March 3. (AP)—Geophysical instruments valued at \$50,000 were destroyed in an explosion that wrecked the "Patsy," boat owned by S. P. Jackson, near here. The explosion occurred when an attempt was made to light a cook stove aboard the craft. No one was injured.

Kansas Allowable Fixed.
Topeka, March 3. (AP)—The Kansas Corporation Commission has announced it had fixed the March oil production allowable at 196,908 barrels daily, an increase of 8,865 barrels over the estimate for the State by the Bureau of Mines.

TEXAS CRUDE OUTLOOK GOOD

LABOR TROUBLES AND NEW
TAX MOVES ONLY CLOUDS
ON STATE OIL HORIZON

Austin, March 3. (AP)—Extension of Texas' proration law for two years has assured continuation of familiar conservation methods in one of the Nation's greatest oil producing areas.

While few thought the statute would not be renewed, oil circles expressed satisfaction when it moved easily through the Legislature and was signed by Governor Allred.

Signing of the bill after passage marked chiefly by futile efforts at amendment, boosting the State's allowable production further in accordance with policy of the last several months and voting by one legislative chamber for an increase in taxes on crude production held major interest of the Texas industry the last week.

The Railroad Commission, State agency for administering proration, has maintained its order increasing Texas' allowable for March about 69,000 barrels above that for February was fully justified by storage conditions as well as consumption. Spokesmen said a slight increase in National production was nothing to be alarmed over and Texas was asking nothing to which it was not entitled.

Although the highest since proration began, the Commission held the new production in no wise endangered price structures. Members were inclined to agree with Secretary of Interior Harold Ickes, Federal Oil Administrator, who said recently that prices might rise further and the industry was facing an era of great prosperity.

About the only clouds on the horizon of Texas oil men were odds and ends of talk of impending labor difficulties and the very definite fact a big element in the Legislature wanted to lay on as much tax as the traffic could bear.

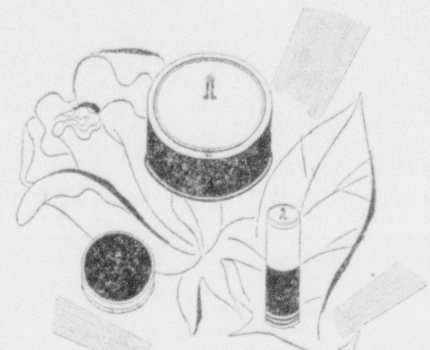
CITIES FOR TEXAS TAX HEARINGS DESIGNATED

Washington, March 3. (AP)—The Board of Tax Appeals has designated Houston and Dallas as cities where hearings will be limited to a seven week period, starting April 12.

The Board said dates for the Texas hearing will be announced later.

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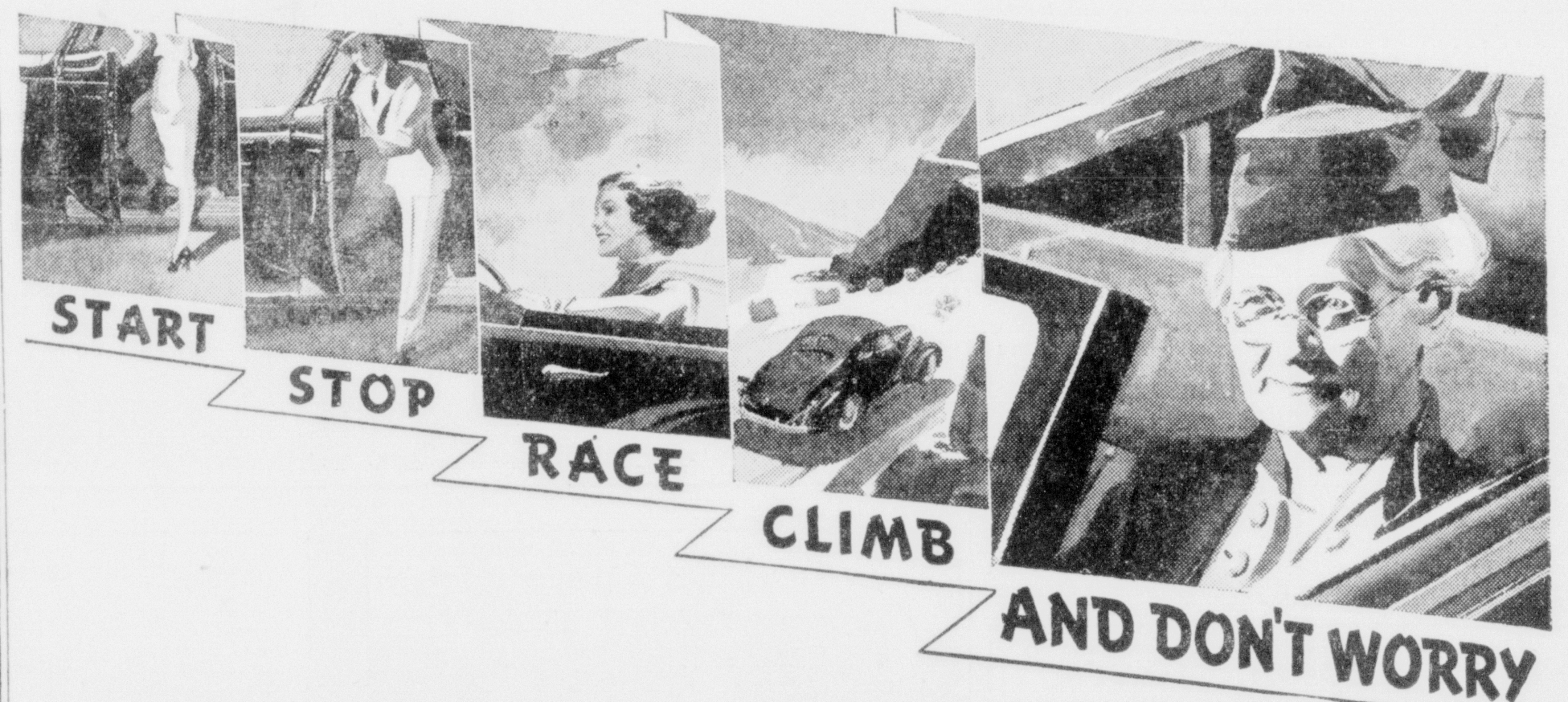
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